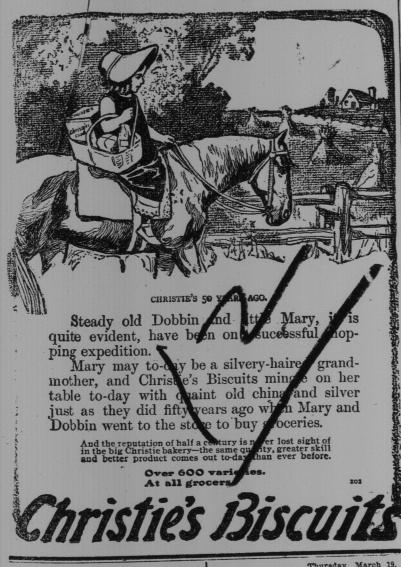
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to send 12 cents in stamps for which ill send post paid one beautiful gold-hed family record size 18x22 inches. Gor-Art Store, St. John, N. B. 2-4-2m-w WANTED-A number of young men hearn the machinist trade and mould ANTED—A number of young interior learn the machinist trade and moulding c; must come well recommended, with mascen Manufacturing Co., Ltd., Grand, Kings county, N. B. Apply to Thomp-Machine Co., St. John.

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BIRTHS.

RANSCOMBE-March 17th, to the wife of G. Branscombe, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

FESSER-TAYLOR—At the manse, Harvey, ork county, March 18th, by the Rev J. A. Lean, B., George Oliver Messer, of codside, to Jessie R. Taylor, of Lawrence

DEATHS.

LARK-At St. Andrews, March 16, Mrs. izabeth A. Clark, in the 88th year of her MANN—In this city, on the 14th inst., Elizabeth, relict of the late David A. Mann, aged 89 years and 21 days, leaving two sons and three daughters to mourn their sad loss.—[Boston papers please copy.

SPEARIN—At Charlo, on March 16, of pneumonia, Freeman T. Spearin, aged 64 years, leaving a wife and two sons to mourn leaving loss. years, leaving a wife and two the 18th inst., FARREN—In this city, on the 18th inst., James Farren, at 73 Harrison street, aged 12 years.

CALIAHAN—In this city, March 19th, after a short illness, Mary, relict of the late. Jeremiah Callahan, in the 76th year of her age, leaving two sons.

OWENS—In this city, on March 19th, after a lingering illness, Ellen L., eldest daughter of John B. and Mary A. Owens.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived.

Arrived.

Tuesday, March 17.

Stmr Parislan, 3,885, Braes, from Liverpool via Halffax, Wm Thomson & Co, mdse and pass.

Coastwise—Schr Thelma, 48, Apt, from Annapolis; stmr Messenger, 49, Penny, from Yarmouth, and cld; stmr Brunswick, 72. Potter, from Cunning; schr Golden Rule, 49, Calder, from Campobello.

Wednesday, March 18.

Str Pawnee, from New York, J H Scammell & Co.

mell & Co. stwise Schs Little Annie, 18, Poland, West Isles: Lennie and Edna, 29, Stu-om Beaver Harbor.

from Liverpool; Priestfield, from Sydney (CB); schrs Swanhilds, from Parrsboro; Mineola, from East Machias for Boston; Hortensia, from Whiting for New York. Cld—Schr John Pierce, for Norfolk.
Perth Amboy, March 17—Sld, schrs Ida M
sarton, for St John; Beaver, for St John.
Rotterdam, March 16—Ard, stmr Teutonia,

Valencia, March 15—Ard, schr John A McJowan, from Harbor Grace via Gibraltar.
Wiscasset, Me, March 17—Sid, schr Fred A
Davenport, for Philadelphia.
Boston, March 18—Ard, strs Cestrian, from
Liverpool; Pinemore, from Antwerp; Castlemoor, from Shields; Wobun, from Halifax.
Sid—Schs Malcolm-Baxter Jr, for Brunswick (Ga); Abenaki and Addie P McFadden,
for eastern port; Independent and Ann Louise
Lockwood, for coal ports.
Boothbay Harbor, March 18—Ard and sid,
schs James A Stetson, from Lubec for Boston; Mary Lee Newton, from Red Beach for
Boston; M E Potter, from Clementsport for
Boston; Bessie A, from Parrsboro for Portland.

Floucester, March 18—Ard, sch Henry May, bm Port Johnson for Portland. New York, March 18—Ard, str Astoria, from New York, March 18—Ard, str Astoria, from asgow; scha N H Burrow, from Norfolk; eddie Hencken, from Norfolk; Rachel Wevens, from Newport News; Beaver, from rth Amboy for St John.
Portland, March 18—Ard, scha Fortuna, bm Block Island; Jas A Stetson, from Red sach for Boston; Ernest T Lee, from Calais r New York; Andrew Peters, Mary L Newn, from Calais for New York; Fred C Holm, from Calais for Vineyard Haven; Berg, from Parrsboro; John Cadwallader, from the

Cleared.

Tuesday, March 17.

Coastwise—Schrs Hustler, Thompson, for Digby; Kipling, Richard, for LaHave; Viola Pearl, Wadlin, for Beaver Harbor; stmr Brunswick, Potter, for Canning.

Wednesday, March 18.

Str Loyalist, Phillips, for London via Halifax, Wm Thomson & Co.

Str Aarstein, Eide, for Brow Head f o, Wm Thomson & Co.

Sch Wm Jones, McLean, for Vineyard

Coastwise—Schs Annie Harper, Pritchard, for Quaco; Thelma, Apt, for Annapolis; Golden Rule, Calder, for Wilson's Beach; Rex, 57, Stevens, for Quaco; Little Annie, Poland, for West Isles.

Sch Thistle, Steeves, for Boston, A Cushing & Co.

McLean, for Vineyard

Stmr St Croix, Pike, for Boston via Maine ports, W G Lee.

CANADIAN PORTS.

Halifax, March 17—Ard, stmr Horne, from St John's (Nfid), and sld to return; schrs Lawrence A Munroe, from Gloucester (Mass) for Banks for bait; Harry A Nickerson, from Boothbay (Me) for Banks for bait (and both

eld). Cld—Stmr Beta, for Bermuda, Turks Is-and and Jamaica; bqetn Albatross, for St

land and Jamaica; beeth Albatross, for St John.

Sid—Stmrs Pro Patria, Henri, for St Pierre (Miq); Manchester Trader, Mann, for St John; schr Hattie L M, McLeod, for Valparaiso (Chili).

Lunenburg, N S, March 17—Cld, schrs Nellie Louise, for Cuba; 12th, B G Anderson, for Porto Rica; 13th, Renown, for Trinidad.

Halifax, March 18—Ard, sch Valkyrie, from Gloucester (Mass) via Port. Medway, for Banks (for bait, and cld.)

Sid—Surs Beta, Hopkins, for Bermuda, Turks Island and Jamaica; Halifax, Pye, for Boston; Briardene, Crowe, for Barrow-in-Furness; beeth Albatross, Grundmark, for St John.

iohn.

Halifax, N S, March 19—Ard stmrs Arca-lia, from Hamburg via Boulogne; Heim, from Portsmouth (N H); Florence, from

London.
(Id—Barque Bensheim, for St John (N B.)
Quaco, N B, March 17—Ard schrs Silver
Wave, McLean; Wood Bros, Golding; E Mayleld, Merriam; Nellie E Gray, Smith; R L
Kenny, Priddle; R Carson, Sweet; James
Barber, Ells; Alaska, Greenfield—ail from
it. John

St John.
Cld—Schrs Wood Bros, Golding; E May-leld, Merriam; James Barber, Ellis; Victor, Haspy—all for St John.

BRITISH FORTS.

Brow Head, March 17—Passed, Stmr Rhynland, from Philadelphia for Liverpool.

Glasgow, March 17—Ard, stmr Tritonia, from St John and Halifax via Liverpool.

Leghorn, March 15—Ard, stmr Perugia, from New York via Naples.

Glasgow, March 16—Ard, stmr Corean, from Boston.

Boston.
Plymouth, March 17—Ard, stmr Pennsylvania, from New York for Cherbourg and Hamburg, and proceeded.
Kinsale, March 17—Passed, stmr Oceanic, from New York for Queenstown and Liver-

Liverpool, March 18-Ard, str Oceanic, from

Liverpool, March 18—Ard, str Oceanic, from New York.
Southampton, March 18—Ard, str Philadelphia, from New York.
Lizard, March 18—Passed, str Minneapolis, from New York for London.
Scilly, March 18—Passed, str Philadelphia, from New York for Southampton.
Cherbourg, March 18—Passed, str Pennsylvania, from New York for Hamburg.
Inistrahull, March 18—Passed, str Bangor, from Boston and Baltimore for Belfast.
Brow Head, March 18—Passed, str Aruacanla, from St John via Louisbourg (C B.)
Gibraltar, March 18—Passed, str Vancouver, from Boston for Naples and Genoa.
Kinsale, March 18—Passed, str (supposed)
Englishman, from Portland for Liverpool.
Lizard, March 19—Passed stmr Switzerland, from Philadelphia for Antwerp.
Glasgow, March 19—Ard stmr Laurentian, from New York.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Boston, March 17-Ard, stmrs Conseula, om Hull; Eidsvold, from Louisbourg (C

SId—Simrs Boston, for Yarmouth; Mystic, for Louisbourg; schrs J W Dunn, for Brunswick (Ga); Lucy A Friend and Harry J Hayward, for Newport News; Wm W Converse, for Brunswick; John R Manning, for coal port; Charles L Mitchell, for coal port; James Rothwell, for coal port; Brunding or Norfolk.

S P Hitchecek, for coal port; John E Devlin, for Norfolk.

ing & Co.

Thursday, March 19.

Stmr Manchester Commerce, Baxter, for Manchester, Wm Thomson & Co.
Schr G H Perry, Wood, for New York, E A. Pidgeon & Co.
Coastwise—Barge No 4, McLeod, for Parrsboro; schrs Yarmouth Packet, Shaw, for Yarmouth; Wood Bros, Golding, for Quaco; Ettie, Heater, for River Hebert; Wanita, 42, Fulmore, Walton. News. Sid—Schrs Mary Manning, for Newport News; Maud Malloch, for Calais; Herman F Kimball, for Rockport (Me); S E Davis, for Mount Desert (Me); Thomas W H White and Nathan Lawrence, for coal ports; Mary Augusta, for eastern port; Henry B Fiske, for Brunswick (Ga); Harriet C Kerlin, for Norfolk for Brunswick (Ga); Harriet C Kerlin, for Norfolk.

Norfolk.

Boothbay Harbor, Me, March 19—Ard schrs Geo W Glover, from Bostosi; Bessie C Beach, from an eastern port.

Sid—Schr Mary B Rogers, for Kennebunk. Głoucester, Mass, March 19—Ard schrs Geo F Keene, from Boston for Bluehill (Me.); Priscilla Smith, for New York.

New Haven, Conn, March 19—Ard schr Harry, from Liverpool (N S.)

Sid—Schr John Booth, for New York.

New London, March 19—Ard schrs Oilver Ames, from South Amboy; Jordan L Mott, from Port Reading.

Newburyport, Mass, March 19—Ard barge Thomaston, from Philadelphia.

Sid—Schr Florence & Lillian, for Sullivan (Me.)

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New York, March 19—Ard stmrs Attivita, from Naples, etc; St Andrew, from Boston; schrs Star of the East, and Henry Clausen Jr, from Norfolk for Salem.

Malaga, March 19—Ard brig Energy, from St John's (Nfld.)

Providence, R I, March 19—Ard schr Jennie Lockwood, from Pensacola.

Portland, Me, March 19—Ard tug Springhill, towing barges No 5 and 6, from Parrsboro; schrs Geneva, from St John (N B) for New York; H A Holder, from St John (N B) for Boston; Cora B, from St John (N B) for Boston; Cora B, from St John (N B) for Boston; E Watermen, from Calais for Boston: J S Lamprey, from eastern port, bound west; Eric, from St John (N B) for Providence; Emma E Porter, from Clementsport for Boston: Andrew Peters, from Calais for Beverley; Lady Antrim, from Rockland for Boston.

oston. Cld-Schr Mary E Palmer, Wallace, fo Boston.
Cid—Schr Mary E Palmer, Wallace, for Newport News.
Sid—Stmr Bernecia, for New York.
Salem, Mass, March 19—Ard schrs Wm K Park, from Baltimore: Mary F Pike, from Eastport for New York; Sarah Eaton, from Calais for New York.
Sid—Schrs Charlotte T Sibly, from New York: William Bisbee, from New York: Island City, from Stonington; J Frank Seavey, from New York; Island City, from Stonington; J Frank Seavey, from New York; Josie, from Machias; Addle P McFadden, from Wiscasset; James A Brown, from Bucksport; Eugene Borda, from Rockland: Stonv Brook, from Calais; Alma, from St John (N B): Romeo, from St John (N B): Romeo, from St John (N B): Romeo, from St John (N B): Nomeo, from St John (N B): Nomeo, from St John (N B): Schrs Sebago, from Weebawken for Portland; Adelene, from New Haven for St John (N B): C B Clark, from Barren Island for Portland; Minnie J Heckman, from New York for Halifax.
Passed—Schr Marjorie J Summer, from Jacksonville for St John (N B.)

LIST OF VESSELS BOUND TO ST. JOHN. Steamers.

Bavarian, 6725, to sail from Liverpool, March Bavarian, 6725, to sail from Liverpool, March

19.
Bengore Head. 1619. Glasgow via Sydney,
Feb 23; passed Louisbourg March 12.
Concordia, 1817. Glasgow, March 9.
Corinthian, 4010. Moville via Halifax, Mar 13.
Dunmore Head. 1459, at Dublin, March 5.
Evangeline, 1417. at London, March 8.
Florence, 1609, at Halifax, March 19.
Kastalla, 2562. from Glasgow, March 14.
Lake Champlain, 4685, at Liverpool, Feb 7.
Lake Erie, 4814, Liverpool, Merch 15.
Lake Megantic, 2213, at Avoumouth, Mar 13.
London City, 1543, London via Halifax,
March 12.
Manchester City, 3227, at Manchester March 7.
Orisna, 2882, from Durban, March 7.
Powhatan, 1640, Algiers via New York,
March 8.
Pretorian, 3910, at Liverpool, March 13.
Russ, 1877, to load in April.
St Andrews, 1980, at Boston, March 16.
Barques.
Ansear, 968, to load for Dinzie
Bansheim, 768, at Halifax, March 19.
Phyllis, 932, at Port Natal, Jan 4.
Barquentines
Culdoon, 372, Scattery Roads via Sydney,
Peb 16.
Albatross, from Halifax, March 18.

A GREAT SUFFERER CURIOR Norfolk.
Sid from Nantusket Roads—Schrs Marie Palmer, for Hampton Roads, for orders; Woodward Abrahams, for Fernandina; Brookline, from Portland for Newport News. Calais, March 17—Sld. schrs Jesse Hart 2nd, for New York; Elizabeth M Cook, for New York.
Delaware Breakwater, March 17—Ard, schr Wm Hood, from Norfolk for Boston.
Hamburg, March 16—Ard, schr J Morris, New York, March 17—Ard, schr J Morris Perrot, from New York; stmr Mesaba, from London.
Portland, March 17—Ard, stmr Irishman, will convince anyone. Price 25c. A GREAT SUFFERER CURED Ont. feel my g, and not equal

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are not satisfied go to your druggist and get your money back.

BRISTOL.

Bristol, Carleton Co., N. B., March 17. spending a few days in Bristol.

J. N. W. Winslow, Woodstock, was in the village on business matters Monday.

Rev. W. H. Smith is holding special services in the Baptist church this week. SId—Schs Spartel, for New York; Rewa, for City Island.
Vineyard Haven, March 18—Ard and sld, schs Josephine Ellicott, from Fernandina for Boston; Victor, from Jordan River via Liverpool (N S) for City Island.
Ard—Sch Minnie J Heckman- from New York for Halifax (lost starboard anchor but procured another here.)
Sid and returned—Beeth Ich Dien, from New York for Lunenburg; schs John C Gregory, from New York for Boston; Wm Marshall, from Perth Amboy for Lynn; Adelene, from New Haven for St John; Sebago, from Weehawken for Portland.
Sid—Schs Sarah Potter, from New York for Boston; Lizzie M Parsons, from Darien for Bath.

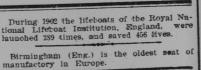
PARLIAMENT OF CANADA HAS A QUIET DAY.

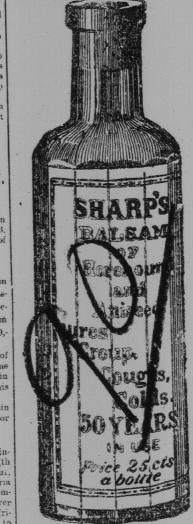
(Continued from page 1.) tations, ships and fog alarm stations the dominion on June 30, 1902, was 713, and lights shown 899. The number of keepers and masters employed was 719. Catt e Shinments Here

While the shipments of cautle from Montreal have fallen off they have increased from St. John, Halifax and Charlottetown. The number of cattle shipped from the above ports was 92,788, and sheep 59, Elxior Chartier, the 13-year-old son o

Maxime Chartier, 74 Chapel street, was drowned last night in a pool of water in a vacant lot a short distance from his home. The lad was subject to fits. The public works department has again called for tenders for the Quebec harbor

The Military Veterans are to tumble in o line once more and celebrate the 37th anniversary of the Fenian raid turnout, at a meeting to be held at the Alexandria Cafe Monday evening, March 23. Al. members are requested to be present and answer rol. call. All volunteers and South Afrirequest, medals are to be worn. Tickets can be had of any of the committee or at he cafe the night of the dinner.





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TORONTO, ONT.

His Fortune.

By Mary Reed Crowell.

in the room, with his handsome head resting | little impulse, threw her scarlet shawl over against the crimson damask upholstered her head and ran to meet him. pack, and his well-polished boots stretched A beautiful little creature, slender and silver bars of the grate.

son-and-gilt paper on the wall to the gray surprised! I supposed you imagined from velvet carpet with tiny splashes of vivid my letter I was just dying to see you? She linked her arm familiarly three with his dark, Spanish beauty, fitted it all his, laughing up in his face.

very admirably. Garrison was anxiously expecting news that no time in setting all the machinery in mowould decide for him whether or not he tion that should eventually work to his in. would be able to further maintain such terest.

vants brought his mai!, two letters, one from Georgie May, a pale, cream-pink missive, ner? addressed in a dainty, educated hand, and His face flushed ever so slightly and an exhaling a faint fragrance of violet-a gengirl down in the country who had given him vealed the whole pitiful truth to the girl her heart and her vows, and who was bliss who loved him. fully waiting for the coming Spring days

when she would be his bride. aside and eagerly took up the other one, his. pearing the same suburban rostmark, a yellow enveloped letter, directed in a man's strong, resolute handwriting.

Garrison tore it open eagerly, and it told nim, in the writer's own characteristic style that Mr. Garrison's orders had been obeyed, and his instructions fully carried out, and that the consequence was, the writer's assurance that the rumor was correct that Somerset Place had been bought and most magnificently furnished, and was at present ccupied by Mr. Gersham Garrison; and that that gentleman bad caused it to be un. derstood that visitors were not welcome, and would not be received—that, above all others, Gardiner Garrison, his nephew, your true value in time. Further words would be least tolerated.

Mr. Garrison dashed the letter on the Garrison.' floor in a gesture of impatient dismay. 'The old idiot! He will waste his millions on a property that no one besides himself and his servants are ever to see. He refuses to see me—his only living relative— son, but over her fallen idol. and I had dared build on the hope of en being invited to make my home there, or, station with a curious feeling of relief that when he came back, embarrassed wi h riches, from the East Indies! The old fool!

He read the letter over again, but there change the ultimatum expressed. 'All the same-I'll go to Somerset Place and try my luck, welcome or not welcome. I will get into his royal presence by fair

means or foul, and-if I don't have some sort of luck it's because I am not in such desperate earnest as I know I am.' And then, having consult d a time table, and selected his train, and lighted a fresh

cigar, and put the blower on the grate, and turned the gas a trifle higher, Mr. Garrison settled down to read Georgie May's sweet etter-very much as a duke might accept the homage of a loyal subject.

'How she could queen it at Somerset,' he thought, and folded up the letter.

And the next evening, at the same hour, found him appounced to old Gersham Garrison, sitting in almost royal state in his magniticent library, with a snowy white bear robs under his velvet-slippered, gouty old feet, and a plush-lined blanket of brilliant hues lying warmly around his stooping shoulders, and an absurd tasseled cop on his gray head. 'And what do you want with me, young

fellow?' he demanded, as Gardiner bowed profoundly.

'Simply to inquire after your health, Uncle Gersham, and to express-'

The cruel little greeny-gray eyes snap-'Simply to inquire after your grondmoth.

er! None of that, now; I know you like a book. You've come to find out, between spying and insinuating, what I am going to do with my money.'

'Uncle Gersham-' he began, but an lmpatient look from the gleaming, greeny-gray eyes stopped him. 'Of course I've got a fortune to leave to

somebody, and a royal one, too. Why, boy, in that brass bound box there is the most precious legacy imaginable - worth, well, it's none of your business. Somebody 'll get it. You won't. It'il go to those who hove paid more attention to me than you have done, by your letters It'll go to somebody who hasn't set himself up, in the very face of my known disapproval of being engaged and get ing married and all that sort of fal-lal. You knew just what I think of women, and yet you went and asked one of 'em to have you-more fool sie to say

Gardiner Garrison's handsome eyes shone -surely, he could see the drift of all this that the wicked, selfish old man had said. 'I did not know you entertained any opinion averse to women, my dear Uncle Bersham. To tell the truth, I don't very particularly care for them myself and I am sure I could shape my views to yours if you

'You could, eh? No, you coulda't! You wouldn't give up a pretty girl for all that box there holds. I know you, young man. Clear out now, I've seen you long enough. And Mr. Gardiner Garrison went away, half-dejected, half-elated.

'One thing is certain-if I want to get into favor with the old brute, I must break and if not co to favor with the old brute, I must break my engagement with Georgie Then I stand at least a chance, and that chance I must improve, or—'

And with his lips compressed he walked Summer Co out of the magnificent grounds of Somerset thing in the Place, straight over to the old-fashioned farm-house, a half-mile away, whore Geor-

Gardiner Garrison sat in the easiest chai gie May saw him coming, and, in a happy

comfortably out toward the fire that was symmetrical, with vivid pink roses on her burning like melted carbuncles behind the cheek, and a rapturous sparkle in her big, velvety dark eyes as she flew up to him.

It was a handsome room, from the crim- 'Oh, Gardiner! I am fo delighted and She linked her arm familiarly through

'I am afraid when you know what I came A handsome room-that cost money to for you won't be so delighted, Georgie,' he maintain, and at the present moment Mr said, for he had made up his mind to lose

She instantly lost all her happy joyon

'No? What did you come for, Gardi-

unnistakable look of embarrassment and uine love letter from the lovely, black-eyed mortification came into his manner that re-

A sudden anguished look, strangely mixed with indignation and scorn, flashed into her And Mr. Garrison laid Georgie's letter dark eyes, and she withdrew her arm from

> I think I know. Your rich relative has come to this vicinity, and from henceforth the farmer's daughter is not aristocratic enough for you. Is that it? You wish our

> Even in the midst of our own suprem diemay, she almost pitied him for the look of mortified embarrassment on his face. Well-yes, and-no, Georgie. You are wrong in saying-

'l am not wrong. It will be decidedly is broken here, now and thus.' And she took the ring off her finger and laid it in his hand. 'I am thankful I have learned are useless. Good afternoon, good by, Mr.

And she howed haughtily, and walked deliberately back to the house, to rush off and suffer-not because of Gardiner Garri-

While that ge it was so well over, a sense of regret at losing her, and a very decided persuasion that, after all, it had been Georgie May who threw him over, instead of its having been was no overlooked word or suggestion to him, who, in lofty, superior manner, had given her up.

And altogether, he went back to his room, in no very enviable frame of mind.

Spring with its balmy south winds, and up-springing grasses, its robin's songs and pink-and white blossoms against the blue sky; and-silence and darkness up in the grand house at Somerset Place, where old Bershem Garrison lay dead, and his nephew, hastily summoned at the eleventh hour, was in charge of everything-with a feeling of subdued elation in his heart as he walked about among the splendors of the house, and realized that-even Georgie May, with the lovely face he could never quite forget, the uplifted, soft dark eyes that haunted him so very uncomfortably, was well sacri-

Then, after the grand funeral, came the era in Gardiner Garrison's life-the supreme noment when the lawyer opened the will and read it to the curious ones assembledfarmer May included And, Gardiner Garrison learned that all

the superb appointments of Somerset Hall were only hired; that the sole wealth of Gersham Garrison was contained in the brass bound box, which he bequeated to his nephew, Gardiner Garrison. And the contents were a collection of

old, odd coin, of the value of a hundred dolomer May said to his wife, when he had

ot cosily fixed in his big chair, that evening. and Georgie sat looking out into the swee' sta rv dusk 'He swore the most blood-curdling oath, and pitched the hox clear out of the window. I tell you he's a disappointed man;

and he wasn't the only one who thought old Gerrison was as rich as a Jew. Georgie turned around, her eyes glitterng, her face all one bright flush. 'I'm glad of it-just as glad as I can be!

He deserves all, and more, than he has suffered. It serves him right.' And the old folks said never a word,

although they exchanged a very meaning glance. The next week a letter came to the farm -four pages of apology, and tenderest pro-

essions of shame and penitence; and entreaties to be forgiven and restored, and all the sort of sentiment of which Mr. Gardiner Garrison was capable. And, with just one reading, Georgie

thrust it back in its envelope, and penciled on it this:

'I wonder at your impudence in presum ing to address such words to one who is an entire stranger to you'
And suclosed it, and mailed it.
And when Mr. Garrison received it, he
knew how wretched a mess he had made of

