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THE VILLA ON THE HILL

Sherbourne was one of those young men-into whose laps an unjust fate pours boundless wealth.

Sherbourne's pile was about twenty millions. At twenty-one he found himself in possession of it all, and it was so well invested that he had nothing to do but put it in bank as fast as it came in. He soon tired of this and hired a man to do it for him. Then he went abroad to see the world.

One day while running about in an auto in Italy he saw a girl crossing the road ahead of him. She was dressed neither as a peasant nor a lady, but between the two. In her hand she carried a basket of berries. On a hill near by was an imposing villa. Sherbourne was wondering who lived there, when he reached the girl crossing the road.

"Can you tell me, signorina," he asked in a mixture of Italian and Latin, seasoned with a little English, "who inhabits that villa up there on the hill?"
"The Princess Angela Farini."
"Much land with it?"
"Many acres, signor."
"H'm," said Sherbourne half to the girl and half musingly. "I wonder if it is for sale."
"Are you an American?" she asked.
"Yes. Why do you ask?"
"You Americans wish to buy everything you see. I don't think you can buy this place, however."
"I presume there is no harm in trying, is there?"
"Of, no!"

"I don't think land can be worth much about here. The more a person owns the worse he is off on account of the taxes."
"You might make the princess an offer. She is alone in the world, her parents being dead. She is much attached to the place, but on account of loneliness would prefer city life."
"Thank you very much for your information." And Sherbourne drove on.

When Sherbourne came to the entrance of the place he turned in and ascended the hill, admiring the expanding view as he rose. He thought that he would like to settle down on the place, collect a library and spend his days reading. He had not yet reached an age where a man realizes that a home is no home at all without a woman in it. At any rate, he made up his mind to buy it, and when Bob Sherbourne made up his mind to buy anything he considered it as good as purchased. Driving up to the entrance of the villa he alighted.
"I have called," he said to a liveried lackey, who admitted him, "to ask if the Princess Farini would consider an offer for her place."
The lackey showed the visitor into a cosy reception room, then disappeared. Presently he returned and

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asked how much the signor would give. Sherbourne made an offer of 500,000 lire (\$100,000). The lackey, after several trips to and from the would-be purchaser, at last brought him a card of a real estate agent in Rome, with a message that the agent would deal with him. He went to Rome and finally purchased the place and everything in it for half a million dollars. He had occupied it a month when one day while driving by a small villa near the foot of the hill on which his place stood he saw the signorina he had met in the road some time before. She was dressed like a lady and was watering some flowers. Sherbourne pulled up, lifted his hat and told her that he had made the purchase of which he had spoken to her, adding that he was sorry he had done so—he had found it lonely. The lady said that she had heard the princess was sorry she had sold her home. After some further conversation, during which it came out that the lady knew the princess, she said she would see her and learn if she would buy it back. Sherbourne was to call for a reply the next day.

When he called he was invited into the villa, and negotiations were opened, this time the princess dealing through her friend instead of the agent. The friend proved attractive, and Sherbourne prolonged the bargaining in order to enjoy her society. At the end of a month she had him enthralled. He proposed to her and was accepted.

Sherbourne now declared that he would not sell his villa. He and his bride would occupy it together. To this his fiancée agreed, but later said that she would not like to offend the princess, who had been kind to her, and Sherbourne was obliged to resell his place. His fiancée, however, informed him that the princess had graciously permitted her to be married in the villa on the hill.

When the day of the wedding came round Sherbourne drove to his former abode, and when his bride appeared, he noticed that she wore a coronet. Surprised, he asked if her friend, the princess had loaned it to her for the bridal.

"I am the princess," was the reply. "You the princess!" exclaimed the groom.

"Yes; the day I met you I was roaming about my property in common costume, as is my habit, to pick berries. I saw that you were a rich American and concluded to sell my property to you, which is all I have of worldly goods. Then it occurred to me to get it back with you also."

"You need not take me with it unless you like," said Sherbourne, miffed. "I like."

FACE POWDER
Some Cruel Facts About the Use of Powder Puffs.

Many women whose faces are blotchy and unclean looking can trace the trouble to the powder they use. Even the best powders on the market will clog the pores if applied too heavily and too often.
Powder was not meant to cover the face till it looks as if the flour barrel had been visited head first. It was intended as a means of removing shine from the skin, giving it a velvety look, and to protect the skin. What have we done with powder?
Too much powder is unsightly and only focuses attention to blemishes.
The tint of the powder used must depend on the coloring of the user. Blonds must use one color, brunettes, another, and according to the degree of fairness or darkness; also for evening use there are certain shades of powder which are much more becoming than the tints most attractive to the daylight.

The kind of powder? Any pure powder. In cheap powders there will be some sort of adulteration that will harm the skin. The best is the cheapest.
The best powder to use is a powder that is very soft and light with clinging qualities—one does not seem to "pack."

The powder should be used in the morning. If during the day the face shines, gently rub over it the powder puff wrapped in a fresh handkerchief.
There are 1,000 employees of the United States Food Administration in the offices of the central organization at Washington. Besides the central staffs, there is a large organization in each of the States under direction of the State Food Administrator.

Three members of the Fruit and Vegetable Committee of the Food Control Administration have been in Prince Edward Island studying the potato situation with a view to facilitating the marketing of the surplus crop.
"Either the stay-at-home must save so that the soldiers may get their vital needs, or the soldiers must go short so that the stay-at-home may fatten. You can not have it both ways and must make your choice," says Lord Northcliffe.

SLACKER CARDS ISSUED
For Diners Who Insist on Forbidden Entables

NEW YORK, Jan. 4—Diners, who insist on being served with prohibited comestibles on the meatless and wheatless days in hotels and restaurants in this city will be permitted to satisfy their appetites only after signing "slacker cards," which were distributed today by the Department of Hotels and Restaurants of the United States Food Administration.
The "slacker cards" read in part: "This certifies that I, a citizen of the United States, wish to record my protest against the practice of meatless and wheatless days as recommended by your administration; that I am not in favor of the conservation of foods of any kind or in any way for the use of the United States soldiers or our Allies in Europe, although I realize that food may win the war."

Quebec's Great Need of Education.
MONTREAL, January 14—Dr. J. T. Finnie, I. M. L. A., in a recent address to the Montreal Women's club, home and education department urged the need of the adoption of compulsory education in the province of Quebec. He made a comparison between the country schools of Ontario and Quebec in favor of the former, and he called attention to the fact that in Ontario the children had the inspiration of seeing the British flag flying on their school houses, whereas in Quebec some of the little scholars hardly realized that they were subjects of the British Empire. Miss Isabelle Britain informed the audience that there are nine thousand children in Montreal, neither Protestant nor Catholic, whose education is being absolutely neglected.

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Girls! Make This Cheap Beauty Lotion to Clear and Whiten Your Skin
Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.
Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless.

Annual Report Clementsport Red Cross Society.
Cash received from dues.....\$ 19.35
Cash received from teas and fancy sale.....101.05
\$120.92
Cash paid for yarn and supplies.....\$96.02
Balance cash on hand.....\$24.90
Works sent to Halifax for overseas:
267 pairs socks.
28 bed jackets.
20 pyjama suits
32 personal property bags.
56 wash cloths.
2 quilts.
100 bandages.
Work sent to Halifax Relief:
10 bed jackets.
5 pyjama suits
12 prs. socks.
2 quilts.
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Last year 267 Norwegian vessels, with an aggregate tonnage of 566,000 were sunk, an Exchange Telegraph, despatch from Copenhagen reports: Since the beginning of the war, 215 Danish ships, with a total tonnage of 224,000 have been sunk, and 234 Danes have been killed.

MOTHERHOOD WOMAN'S JOY
Suggestions to Childless Women.
Among the virtues of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the ability to correct sterility in the cases of many women. This fact is well established as evidenced by the following letter and hundreds of others we have published in these columns.
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