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### POETRY.

Plaint of the Editor.

Would you ask us why this dunning  
Why the sad complaints and murmurs,  
Murmurs loud about delinquents,  
Who have read the paper gladly,  
Read what they have never paid for,  
Read with pleasure and with profit,  
Read the essays and the poems,  
Full of wisdom and instruction;  
Read the notes of current topics,  
Carefully compiled and written.  
Should you ask us why this dunning,  
We will answer, we will tell you.

From the printer, from the mailer,  
From the kind old paper-maker,  
From the landlady, from the "dovet,"  
From them all there comes a message—  
Message kind but firmly spoken—  
"Please to pay the bill you owe us."

Sad it is to hear such message  
When our funds are all exhausted;  
When the last bank-note has left us;  
When the red cents all have vanished;  
Come to pay the paper-maker,  
Come to pay the landlady's tribute,  
Come to pay the clerk and newsboy,  
Come to pay the city taxes—  
Come to pay for food and tatters,  
Come to pay our faithful helpers.

Sad it is to turn our ledger,  
Turn the leaves of this old ledger,  
Turn to see what sums are due us,  
Due for volumes long since ended,  
Due for years of pleasant reading,  
Due for years of anxious labor,  
Due despite our patient waiting,  
Due despite our constant dunning.

Would you lift a burden from us?  
Would you give us a special from you?  
Would you take a pleasant slumber?  
Would you have a quiet conscience?  
Would you read a paper paid for?  
Send your overdue subscription,  
Send the money that you owe us.

### SELECT STORY.

Wolfe the Ranger.

CHAPTER XXXVIII.—Continued.

"Constance" murmured the mar-  
quis, nothing.

"Look—this paper!" she cried,  
breathlessly. "It is my father's!"  
The marquis nodded.

"Yes, dearest. I found it in the hat  
the night I did not understand it—"  
Constance rose, and her eyes darted  
toward the white face of Rawson Fen-  
ton.

"He knows!" she panted. "He—  
the thief!"

The marquis put up his hand to re-  
strain her, but she would not be silenced  
even by him.

"Wolfe, that man—he has robbed  
my dead father—"

She could not continue for a moment,  
and the marquis and Lord Elliot ex-  
changed glances. They neither of them  
understood in the slightest why the  
sight of this half sheet of paper should  
have roused such passionate indignation  
in her; but it seemed as if Rawson  
Fenton knew and comprehended, for  
a swift flash passed over his face,  
leaving it whiter than before, and his  
head dropped.

"What is it, Constance?" asked the  
marquis.

"I'll take my leave," said Rawson  
Fenton, in a hoarse voice. "You have  
not seen the last of me, Lord Brake-  
spare—"

"Not yet," said Lord Elliot. "You  
are in a great hurry to go all at once;  
you will wait and hear what Miss Gra-  
hame has to say;" and he motioned to  
him to stand still. "Now, Miss Gra-  
hame, if you can throw any light upon  
any villainy this fellow has been guilty  
of, pray do so."

"You shall answer for this conduct,  
my lord," said Rawson Fenton, threat-

ingly, but with a sidelong glance at  
Constance and the paper she still held.

"Read it," she said, in a low voice  
to Wolfe.

"I cannot," he said; and he handed  
it to Lord Elliot.

He scanned it gravely.

"It seems to be a scientific formula,  
a chemical receipt of some kind," he  
said.

"It is," said Constance. "It is the  
secret which my father discovered in  
the bush," Wolfe, Lord Elliot—she  
turned from one to the other eagerly—  
"the last—our land—was full of  
gems, opals and others, but they were  
locked in the hard rock, and could not  
be got out without breaking, and my  
father—the tears gathered in her eyes—  
"he was a doctor, a great chemist;  
he worked and toiled day after day, try-  
ing to discover some means of separat-  
ing the gems from the rock, and one  
night—her voice broke—"the night  
you came—she clung to Wolfe—"she  
came in from his laboratory to the room  
where I—and this man—were, and said  
that he had made the great discovery,  
Wolfe, it drove him mad. But he was  
not mad when he told us that he had  
succeeded, though the man persuaded  
me that he was. My father had made  
the discovery; he said that he would  
be rich—why, Wolfe, I saw the opals  
fall from his hand—I remember now—"  
—she put her hand to her brow. "And  
—and then we started for Melbourne  
and this man was left behind. This  
paper—"

"I picked it up in the little inner  
room to light my pipe," said the mar-  
quis, in a low voice to Elliot.

"This paper tells the secret. This  
man must have seen it, or heard my  
father read it—"

"Or obtained a copy," suggested  
Lord Elliot, started and amazed at  
this new phase of the mystery.

"Yes, but how we know how he  
became rich," said Constance, in a  
slow, distinct voice, her eyes fixed on  
Rawson Fenton, who stood with folded  
arms and sinister smile.

"What have you to say, Mr Fen-  
ton?" demanded Lord Elliot.

Fenton shrugged his shoulders.

"Nothing," he responded, with a  
sneer. "It is a romance fit for publi-  
cation in three volumes. I know noth-  
ing of this paper or its fabulous se-  
cret."

"He lies," said Lord Elliot to the  
marquis, as calmly as if he had said,  
"It rains." "I can see it in his face,  
Where is this place, Miss Grahame?"

"Permit me," said Rawson Fenton,  
before she could answer. "This land  
she speaks of belongs to me, my lord,  
and if you are at any time curious to  
see it, I shall be happy to—give you a  
warm welcome."

"You?" said Lord Elliot.

"The rest looked at him.

"Yes, Dr. Grahame told it to me  
some time before he died."

"It is not true! It is false!" ex-  
claimed Constance. "Look at his  
face!"

They were looking even then, and  
they saw the evil eyes sink and droop.

"Mr Fenton," said Lord Elliot, "you  
will be good enough to produce the  
deeds of this property for the inspec-  
tion of Lord Brake-spare's solicitors  
the day after to-morrow at twelve. The  
marquis will, I have no doubt, permit  
me to act for Miss Grahame in the mat-  
ter, and I will meet you there."

Rawson Fenton changed color, and  
his lips twitched as his eyes wandered  
from one to the other.

"There are no deeds—indeed, indeed,  
there are not," said Constance, "or if  
there are, they are—forgeries!"

The word fell like a thunder-bolt,  
and a deep silence followed it. Then  
Rawson Fenton moved toward the  
door, and with his hand upon it, turned  
and faced them, his eyes resting upon  
Constance's face—not pale now, but  
flushed—with a malignant intensity.

"My poor friend Doctor Grahame  
was mad," he said, "and I fear his  
daughter has inherited—"

He had got thus far in his soliloquy  
when Lord Elliot sprang upon him, and  
opening the door with his foot, thrust  
him outside.

Those within the room heard a sud-  
den crash, as if a heavy body had been  
thrown down stairs; and when the next  
moment Lord Elliot came in, pulling  
down his wrist-bands, he was alone.

stance, he held out a hand to catch.  
"I'll take myself off now, he said.  
"Good-bye, for the present, Wolfe;  
good-bye, Miss Grahame. No, don't  
cry—for the tears were starting in  
Constance's eyes—"you will have no  
more cause for tears, please God!" And  
he wrung her hand. "I shall be close  
at hand if you want me. By the way,  
leave that fellow to me, Wolfe, will  
you?" he said at the door. "It will  
be a little amusement for me, and I  
shall enjoy it."

And he was gone, and the two were  
left alone.

### CHAPTER XXXIX.

Ten minutes afterward, Lord Elliot,  
who was sitting on a bunkhead on the  
pier smoking a cigar with the keen en-  
joyment that follows upon a virtuous  
action, brought to a successful conclu-  
sion, saw the marquis approaching  
him with a quick step.

He came and laid both his hands  
upon his friend's shoulders, and looked  
at him.

"Some day I'll try to thank you, El-  
liot," he said, in a low voice. "At pre-  
sent I can only think of—"

"Quite right," nodded Lord Elliot.  
"I can wait."

"And I have come to tell you, Elliot,"  
resumed the marquis, gravely, "we've  
been talking, and I have been trying to  
persuade her to consent to a proposal  
I have made; I want her to come with  
me and you to London, and—marry me  
there; I have the license."

"Well?"

"And she will not," said the marquis  
anxiously. "She says—God bless her  
sweet heart!—that it will seem as if  
she had done something she was  
ashamed of."

Lord Elliot sprang to his feet, and  
flung his cigar away.

"Will there?" said the duchess,  
when I should like to see it; and I  
will!" she exclaimed, as if struck by a  
sudden idea. "No, she shall not come  
back alone, for I will go and meet her  
and come back with her."

Lord Elliot had not over-estimated  
her astuteness.

She rang the bell.

"The carriage, please, at once. Will  
you come with me, Ruth?" she asked,  
fixing her eyes keenly on the sharp-  
pale face.

Lady Ruth's color rose.

"I—I—no, I think not," she said.  
"I should like to, above all things, but  
—but I have just heard from my  
father; he is worse."

"I am very sorry," said the duchess  
slowly, and in a tone that she did not  
often use. "As he is so much worse,  
we must not keep you from his bedside.  
Pray go, and by the first train."

Rawson Fenton had been flung down  
the stairs; his accomplice, Lady Ruth,  
was politely ordered to leave the Tow-  
ers. It is a question which suffered  
the more.

Without a word she bowed to the  
duchess, who inclined her head with a  
coldness which perhaps only a duchess  
can properly convey in a bow; and  
white to the lips, and trembling with  
fury and disappointment, Lady Ruth  
left the room.

That evening two carriages were  
heard coming up the drive of the Tow-  
ers, and at the sound the marchioness,  
who had returned with Kitty and the  
duke, rose from her chair in the draw-  
ing-room and went into the hall.

"Leave her alone," said the duke as  
she went.

The duchess read it out, and for a  
moment was speechless, and stared  
back at the duke and Lady Kate, who  
eyed her as if they could not believe  
the evidence of their ears.

"I told you so!" at last exclaimed  
her grace, triumphantly. "I knew  
there was some mystery which would  
be cleared up by some one who had the  
wit to see through it; and it seems  
that Ernest Elliot had it. Wedding  
to-morrow! Good gracious! Well, it  
shall be done! Come, Kitty, don't look  
as if you wanted to cry again; you  
have cried quite enough. Duke, to  
the duke, as he stood open-eyed and  
open-mouthed, "you must go round to  
the castle and break the good news to  
the marchioness. I'd go, but I can't.  
Now, mind, don't blurt it out sud-  
denly."

"Oh, by George! you know," said  
the poor duke; then his face cleared.

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My dear; you shall do the breaking  
and I will back you up."

Lady Kate sprang to her feet with  
a joyful promptitude, and nearly ran  
against Lady Ruth, who was enter-  
ing—"Ruth, listen to this!" exclaimed  
the duchess. "For once I was cleverer  
and more far sighted than you;" and  
she read the telegram.

Lady Ruth's face went white, and  
she put out her hand and steadied her-  
self by a chair.

"Wolfe and she to be married to-  
morrow, at Brake-spere Church, after  
all that has happened! There, there  
must be some mistake," dropped from  
her lips.

"Exactly! Isn't that just what I  
have been saying all through the busi-  
ness?" exclaimed the duchess, exult-  
ingly.

"She cannot—she cannot be so  
brave!" muttered Lady Ruth.

The duchess looked at her.

"I mean that no woman could come  
back after all that has happened, all  
the scandal; to come back alone—"

"Alone!" echoed the duchess, "of  
course she is not alone. She has had  
the girl—her own maid—Mary with  
her all the time; and of course, Wolfe  
and Ernest are with her, too."

A faint sneer curled Lady Ruth's lip.

"They? Oh, yes," she assented,  
and she will drive through Brake-  
spere with them. There will be a  
mob at their heels."

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when I should like to see it; and I  
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other medicines failed)  
yielded to  
Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

It is to be feared that the curiosity  
of the world at large, as to the sudden  
disappearance and return of the Mar-  
quis of Brake-spere's bride will never  
be satisfied.

Continued Next Week.

Emile Zola spends money with a  
lavish hand. His house at Milan cost  
100,000 francs, and the objects of art  
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