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"Flirtation!" ejaculated the Marquis, starting—"a flirtation which may cre-ate trouble, Captain Lascelles? What foundation have you for this?" "My own eyes, and your nephew's

own words, my lord. He is in lovemight say, taking into consideration his rank, dangerously in love, with-"With whom, Captain Lascelles? nterrogated the Marquis with involuntary impatience. Was not Cecil his

"With Lady Westbrook's lady'smaid, my lord."
"With whom-with Maria Saproni?" The captain had played his card with

effect. Lord Santyre sprang from his "A flirtation with her? Captain Lascelles, you are deceived," he added, proudly, his face flushing. "This cannot be. My nephew would never so

insult my roof.' "I never would so accuse Lord Cecil, my lord," replied the officer, depreca-tingly. "Your error rises from one of mine. I should scarcely have used the word 'flirtation,' for your nephew's intentions respecting Signora Saproni are honorable and most serious."
"Honorable! Great heavens!" ejacu-

lated the marquis. "My nephew-my heir, Captain Lascelles, wed a lady's maid! Preposterous!" "I would it were, my lord. Still, I regret to say that I imagine it is most true. Your nephew is different from other young men."

"He is honorable, sir," retorted the nobleman, proudly. Then, confronting the officer, he said, with much earnestness: "Captain Lascelles, have you really foundation for this statement? Is no part of it supposition, ex-

My lord, I reiterate, I heard it from your nephew's own lips, or I should not have dared to take this step." "I thank you for doing so, Captain Lascelles, thank you much," said the marquis sincerely. "Accept my word that no harm shall accrue to you from confiding to me this valuable and indeed dangerous information. Great heaven! Marry a lady's maid, Cecilmy heir? No; not my heir if such a ceremony should ever take place. But

it must not-it shall not!" He was traversing the room now a prey to an agitation which forced him into motion. Stopping abruptly, wheeling round on his heel, he asked: "And Maria Saproni. What of her? Of course she is by no means loath to

make Cecil her victim?" The captain paused. Which was safest? Truth or falsehood? He decided still as he had when planning his plan. The truth. He had read Maria's character even as she had his. Falsely accused, she would indignantly fortify herself. Her pride, her sense of right appealed to, she would conform to the marquis' arguments, possibly request. He, therefore, responded:

"My lord, I am bound to admit that Signora Saproni does not favor your nephew's advances. Probably because conscious of her humble position, she is

deceived as to their nature.' "Is she deceived? After all, is it not you, Captain Lascelles?" persisted the nobleman, unable to grasp the idea of

such a mesailliance. "I can understand your difficulty of credence, my lord," said the captain, with a dignity which did not fail in

rified at the threatened disgrace, had a long conversation with the officer. At its conclusion, grasping his hand warmly, gratefully, the marquis said:
"Captain Lascelles, I hold myself eternally indebted to you, and I will certainly follow the plan you suggest.

After further talk the two left the club, when they parted. The marquis, entering his brougham, drove home to manage a private interview with Maria; Captain Lascelles smilingly continued his saunter down Pall Mall. very well satisfied with his revenge.

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CHAPTER XX.

what she had been when she went-different in heart, different in brain. As with light, and promising a glorious lady?" inquired her attendant. day, so had happiness dawned upon Lady Westbrook. As one of those storms, which with its blackness, like mighty winds, in a few seconds sweeps

happiness been extinguished. She, however, was too proud, too justconscious of what was due to herself, to permit even her confidante, She went—ignorant, even as was the Maria, to suspect the blow she had that other, of what was to transpire before day received, and the agony it cost her. A double agony, for loving Gerard, she knew how much he suffered in bravely following duty, though his affection was hers. Yes, that one unguarded, passionate, earnest gaze had been too eloquent not for her to read it cor-

After the earl left, despite her efforts, she had been unable to maintain her customary gaiety. She grew silent, and her paleness soon attracted |

"It is a headache," responded Lucille, smiling faintly, "I think it is the heat. We always," and she laughed, 'attribute indisposition to the heat or the cold, a proof we are ignorant of

Consequently, as Lady Whittenleigh flushed:
protested she "had only come to the fete because everybody else did, and aloud." leave," they returned. Entering her boudoir, Lucille gave the same reason for her pallor to Maria as she had to the marquis; but here, re-

lieved from the restraint of company, her strength failed, her head sank wearily on the sofa cushion and she fainted. Maria bathed her temples and hands with eau-de-cologne, not in the slight-

est degree suspecting the truth. How could she-how could anyone? When days passed, and the Earl of Lethrington's approaching marriage tyre had meditated deeply, anxiously, with his cousin, Lady Esmer Mort- upon what he had heard. Naturally, too, main, had become town talk and town firmed for a long while afterwards.

Even as it was, Lady Westbrook arose the next morning apparently in Lascelles' advice to appeal to the girl's

friends to visit Burlington House. Be-

Of Interest to Women.

Mrs. Astor's Snake Bracelet. | healthful thing to do in all cases. Any Mrs. William Astor has a wonderful one who is fond of melons will find them as palatable after the introducnake ring, which literally writhes in tion of warm food into the stomach constant motion on her finger. It is as before, and generally the result will constructed of flexible gold wire, each scale being represented by a loop of an amethyst is firmly set. The slightest movement of the fingers sets the wires quivering, and the ring scintillates and seems to go round and round the finger with a serpentine movement that has something very weird about it. It was made in Egypt.

What Causes a Bunion.

The cause of this deformity of the foot is the wearing of shoes that are faulty in shape or are ill-fitting. A shoe that crowds the toes together or pushes the great toe backward will tend to produce this trouble. Avoid shoes with the following characteristics: Shoes with narrow points or with the points in the medium line; shoes that are too short; shoes that are so oose at the instep as to allow the foot to ride forward and thus bring direct backward pressure on the toes, and, last, the worst of all, the shoes which combine two or all of these defects.

Miss Rothschild's Laces. The finest collection of old lace owned by any one individual belongs to Miss Alice Rothschild. It will bear comeffect. "But permit me to relate the causes of my belief, then you will judge and includes many famous pieces. Miss Rothschild's love for lace is so that often when she arwell known that often when she arsilence, but in increasing rives in a town she is at once waited wrath, to the recital. He soon was of upon by the lace dealers, and generally the captain's opinion, and, much horrewards them by purchasing the finest specimens known.

Digestion of Various Foods.

A comparative study of tables, com piled on dietetic subjects, is full of perceive the uselessness of requesting surprises to the uninitiated. It is not Lady Westbrook to dismiss her maid to whom she is so attached, without giving a justifiable reason, which would be unwise. To openly make the girl a martyr would fire all my nephew's chivalry, and the more would be unwise. valry, and the more would he espouse and a half, and ranks, consequently, her cause. Therefore I will appeal to as one of the slowest to digest, among Signora Saproni's pride, her honor, her sense of right, even to her love for my daughter, and I imagine with you, I shall not appeal in vain. All, however, shall not appeal in vain. All, however, must be done secretly. Cecil must sus-other side, taking five hours and a other side, taking five hours and a quarter for assimilation, and compet-ing with it closely in the same way are roasted wild duck, boiled pork, fried beefsteak, fowls, and, what is surprising, vegetable soup. In food values too, statistics dispel many carefully cherished notions. Oysters and milk, to illustrate, are credited with, respectively, only 12 and 13 per cent of nutriment, while raw oils lead the list with 95 per cent. Raw cucumbers and melons add little nourish nent to the human frame with their trifling percentages of 2 and 3.

A Tasty Dish.

A salad improvised for a Sunday night supper recently was pronounced excellent by those who ate it. Some cold baked beans were sprinkled with a little grated onion and a few drops tion makes the delicate organs that bear the burdens of maternity strong, healthy, virile and elastic. It banishes the distress of the period of impending maternity, and finsures the newcomer's health and an ample supply of nourishment. An honest druggist will not try to get you to take some substitute for his profit's sake. Prospective mothers who write to Dr. R. V. Pierce will receive the best advice of an eminent and of tarragon vinegar, before being arranged on a bed of lettuce hearts and garnished with the two tomatoes the icebox afforded, cut in slices. Served with mock sandwiches of brown bread, baked Virginia ham, the menu proved a most popular one.

Melons for Breakfast.

Many persons who suffer indigestion from eating melons as a refreshing "appetizer" in the morning, says a writer in the Woman's Home Companion, will find that no unpleasant results follow their use as a breakfast dessert. To the most unthinking it should be apparent that introducing panion, will find that no unpleasant results follow their use as a breakfast dessert. To the most unthinking it should be apparent that introducing a cold mass into the stomach before eating must necessarily reduce its temperature below that required for digestion. There are stomachs hardy enough to endure this treatment, but people should disabuse themselves of the idea 'that it is the proper and the index of the ind

fore leaving she said: Lucille returned from the Chiswick Howard's invitation to dinner, Maria, flower show a different woman from that she had been when she went— morrow, and tonight I must see one of morrow, and tonight I must see one of different in heart, different in brain. As the sun rises above the hills on a clear spring morning, inundating the world with light and promising a glorious. "Could I not go in your place, my Lady Westbrook bent her eyes very thoughtfully on the carpet. Finally, she

said with decision:
"No, I will follow it out to the end. up, shutting out the heavens, had that It is better so. Why, I know not; but I am singularly nervous respecting this last interview. There, we will speak The only safe and reliable remedy of it further when I return."

that time arrived.

It was about an hour later that a footman, knocking at the door, handed a note to Maria. Opening it, to her surprise, she found it was from the marquis. It merely said: "Lord Santyre would be obliged if Signora Saproni

would give him a few moments' private

conversation in the library, where he

What could it be? Why did he wish to see her? Why write, instead of sending a verbal request? It must be private, indeed. While Maria thought, she was gathering together some delicate laces, on which she had been working, when, abruptly stopping, she glanced up as

if addressing someone, her cheek "Can it be that?" she murmured, half aloud. "Has he learned? Well, if so, should be exceedingly delighted to perhaps it is better. I am not to blame." Then she sighed. "Would she be believed? Was this pleasant home, where she had been so happy, so con-tented, to be taken from her? Would Lady Westbrook permit it? Would she not be her friend?"

A foreboding at the heart, Maria, looking very beautiful and very dignified, despite the almost severe simplicity of her dress, with a repose such as that which marks "the caste of Vere de Vere," descended to the library. "During the drive home, Lord Sanhe had recalled all he knew, from hearsurprise, the lady's maid possibly had say and observation, of Lady Westher suspicions, though by that period | brook's maid. And he was bound to ad-Lucille, having obtained a perfect mastery over herself, they were not conmanner, intellect, as appearance, she her customary health and spirits, and | pride and sense of right was the wiskept an appointment with a party of est course.

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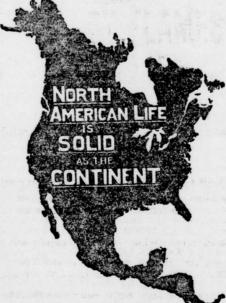
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