THE GUARDED SECRE

a minute, and then resumed: "A heavy door opened to admit us into the wide, dimly-lighted hallway of what must have been a large, aristocratic mansion. Here the eccentric

mask upon my face instead, with the odd remark. You will have need for your eyes re, but none for your features, Dr. Anthony, as I do not wish my patient ever to recognize you abroad. Therefore, I request that you wear this

the young man, with a sly sense of would be black before she opened the humorous, "and then I saw beside, us a neat-looking elderly woman with a lamp in her hand-evidently a nurse. She led us up a wide, beautiful stairway of polished walnut, along another hall, and so into a lady's room-the; most beautiful room I ever saw!" said Dr. Anthony, with enthusiasm.

"It was large and airy, and hung with rich blue silk and white lace. The furniture was rosewood, upholstered in blue silk, and on the marble mantel and the ivory brackets against the wall were vases of flowers, statuettes, and expensive bric-a-brac. You see, I made good use of my eyes when I was given leave, Miss Rodney," said the physician, with a smile.

"Yes, doctor, but now about your mysterious patient?" breathed Effie,

"Yes, now I am coming to that, for I am afraid the preliminaries have sadly wearied your patience," he said. "There was a rosewood bed in center of the room, Miss Rodney, draped in rich blue silk and canopied with snowy lace in the

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MENTS FOR THE BABY.

to be measured in words. The little could then have told most certainly set of garments illustrated will be found most practical for the inexperienced sewer, as it includes dress, wrapper (which may be cut in shorter length for a sack), nightgown, pettilength for a sack), nightgown, petti-coat, and pinning blanket, all of which Effie. are wholly indispensable to the small baby. The patterns are not at all never see her again, I shall never fordifficult to develop; and while the materials used should be of the finest and softest quality, so as not to irripinning blanket, % yards of 27-inch again, and recount his strange story flannel, with % yard of 36-inch muslin to her father.

The price of this pattern is 10c.

Province Measurement: Bust

Age (if child's or misses' pattern)

PATTERN DEPARTMENT, LONDON ADVERTISER. them regularly with grand results."

trimmed pillows lay a girl-a corpse, The speaker paused to take breath I thought at first, for she was deathly white and still, her eyes were closed, night that Effle regretted she had told and the white garments about her breast were all dabbled with blood." Miss Rodney shuddered and grew

"Oh, poor little Aline," she sighed. stranger removed the handkerchief "Tell me how she looked, Dr. Anfrom my eyes and coolly clapped a thony."

"She was very young. She looked tient though almost distracted husalmost childlike," said Dr. Anthony. band. "She had a fair, round face, with a dimpled chin and beautiful features. Her hair was dark and curling, her of wonderful beauty. Her eyes, much thony to return to Chester. His anxi- play in the good old way.

"It was my sister," cried Effie, in scribed her very accurately." "I went up to her side, and looked self. down at the beautiful, silent face," he ever since I heard the story of your went on; "and the stranger, who I

have forgotten to say before, wore a feared you might think me foolish or thick, heavy mask upon his face, folthe nurse angrily: "'How is this?" he said. 'I told you

to put a mask upon her face.' "And so I did, sir, but her protracted swoon so frightened me, that I removed it to give her air, and forgot to replace it. I hope there is no harm

"He muttered something angrily, then stepped quickly back, for at that moment the wounded girl opened her eyes and flashed them around the room. They fell on the face of the nurse, and she cried out, in a startled

"'Who are you, and where am I?" "She spoke no more, for my strange guide bent over her and whispered something in her ear, and she relapsed into silence. He then directed me to examine her wound, and I obey-

"Was-was it fatal?" asked poor

"No, although it had been meant for that," he replied. "It was a knifewound, and had been meant for the heart, but glanced aside and inflicted a flesh wound instead. I bathed and dressed the wound, but before I finished she had again relapsed into un-"And you learned nothing?" sighed

"Nothing," he answered. "Before I came away, the unknown stranger drew off his coat and showed me a deep, jagged cut on his own arm. I came often to the dainty little cottage laughed itself tired at this sally. But it would be most unfair to was rewarded for my services by a the tall trees and pretentious towers twenty-dollar goldpiece, and after subof Delaney House. He was so gay and show. Barring the singing between on the mystery of your sister's disap- of him. He pleased the nervous, fret-"None, Dr. Anthony. It only deepens her grief and remorse. His even,

the mystery," she answered mourn- sunny temper and handsome face al-"And yet it is in some sort a clue," ways brightened the cottage parlor when they shone in. All claimed him ne said, thoughtfully. "If the young as a friend and comforter. girl I saw is your sister it proves that she is confined somewhere within a radius of five miles from Maywood.

Have you thought of that, Miss Rod-"If the girl you saw is really my sister, it proves also that she is a prisoner somewhere." Effie said, musingly, "It places the mystery in a new aspect it with a great interest. He stood at altogether. We had thought that Aline, offended by her punishment that day, and vazed curiously out. The front had run away merely to annoy us, and that when a sufficient time had elapsed little village street. The back one she would return to us again. Can it be that she was abducted and impris-

patterns for infants' garments is not see a picture of the missing girl. I whether the girl whose strange wound

I dressed was your sister." "It is the most unfortunate that we but your description corresponds ex-

"She was very beautiful. Even if I get her charming face," said Dr. An-

thony. He rose to go as he spoke, and the mere, 27 inches wide (or for sack 1% thoughts were too plainly expressed in nor sorrow for the shadow that had yards of the same width); for the his eyes. She thanked him in sweet, fallen on his neighbor's house. He apyards of the same wider. She thanked nim in sweet, fallen on his neighbor's house. He apnightgown, 2%, yards of flannel or courteous phrases for his information, cambric, 36 inches wide; and for the and half-timidly requested him to call things but himself.

Dr. Anthony very willingly promised to do so. He was very sorry for the them, but he stood well back from the afflicted family, and very much inter-

Please send the above-mentioned "The most interesting young man I

Perney Hirtschman Tells "Your suspicions are tending in quite the wrong direction," he said; His Part of Story house where he saw the wounded girl

THE CASE FULLY REPORTED. PROVES THE WORK WAS DONE BY DR. HAMILTON'S PILLS.

Young Stratford Man Found Guilty of Halifax, N.S., Aug. 24. - A wellknown resident at 93 Sackville street, Mr. Perney Hirtschman, who has been in a somewhat serious condition lately. has recovered, and says: "Six months CAUTION: Be careful to inclose ago my appetite fell off and my health 24 years of age, was this morning senabove illustration and send size of pat-became very poor. I had terrible at-tenced to Central Prison for a term a magistrate Thursday that he had above multiplication the pattern is bust tacks of indigestion and often was un- of six months by Judge Barron. Bugg tern wanted. Under the sale of official documents of six months by Judge Barron. Bugg power for the sale of official documents and official documents of six months by Judge Barron. Bugg power for the sale of official documents and official documents of six months by Judge Barron. Bugg power for the sale of official documents and official documents of six months by Judge Barron. Bugg power for the sale of official documents and official documents of six months by Judge Barron. Bugg power for the sale of official documents and official documents of six months by Judge Barron. Bugg power for the sale of official documents and official documents of six months by Judge Barron. Bugg power for the sale of official documents and official documents and official documents of six months measure you need the sale of older as Nerviline. Give it internal able to sleep at night. My poor color was tried before Police Magistrate ments, but that his offer had been re- ly and rub it on chest and throat—whatever it may be. When in waist showed what an ill man I was. I tried O'Loane several weeks ago, and he fixed on the ground that the papers measure, 22, 24, 26, or whatever it may be. If a skirt, give waist and length measure. When misses' or child's pattern, write only the figure, representing the age. It is not necessary to senting the age. It is not necessary to senting the same a senting the age. It is not necessary to write "inches" or "years." Patterns cannot reach you in less than one week my meals. I feel as strong and health from the date of order. The price of my meals. I feel as strong and healthy each pattern is 10 cents in cash or in as a young boy. Because they are so

she went back to her mother's bed-AND DIDN'T CRY

side and related Dr. Anthony's story.

Mrs. Rodney was greatly excited.

Aline's mysterious absence assumed a new phase. She was full of wonder

"My dear little Aline! She may be

dead ere this!" was the burden of her

violent during the long hours of the

her the strange story. She was re-

lieved when her father came home

CHAPTER V.

lead to my daughter's recovery?"

following up this strange discovery.

The New York detective came down

promptly to Chester. He was quite

flatered himself that he should un-

room from whence Aline had been so

strangely spirited away. He examined

each of the three windows in turn,

They showed him the little

willing to undertake the case.

ravel the mystery.

shut windows.

sensibly drifting.

"Your suspicions are tending in

"Dr. Anthony is quite sure that the

is guite five miles distant from here.

SIX MONTHS FOR BUGG

Defrauding His Wife.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Stratford, Nov. 16. - David Bugg.

To Be Continued

and dismay and grief.

you my story."

another place.

grief, and it became so hysterical and Peculiar Actions of Audience at "The Bonnie Brier Bush."

next morning from another fruitless quest. She felt that the charge of her "The Bonnie Brier Bush," a dramgrief-stricken mother was becoming atization of the late Ian MacLaren's too heavy for her. No one could soothe Mrs. Rodney's bitter grief but her pa- masterpiece, appeared at the Grand Saturday afternoon and evening, and on both occasions drew large audiences. For some reason or other, however, Mr. Rodney did not wait for Dr. An- the night audience aidn't receive the

When "cry time" came around, the course, you know, Miss Rodney, not being in a condition to refuse," said the would be black before the course It impressed him strangely. He be- worthy of the mantle of the famous "It was my sister," cried Effie, in lieved with the doctor that the mysterious of conviction. "You have deterious wounded girl was Aline herther the piper, made the best Dr. McLure ever seen in London. And others of "I have been haunted by that belief the cast were all to the good. But as stated, at "cry time" the people were

daughter's disappearance," he said. "I all wrong. There was a series of mishaps durthick, heavy mask upon his face, followed me. In a moment he turned to I had gone over to Chester and told fected the audience adversely. First, Lord Hay's son came out in kilts, and "For which kindness I am most he looked as though he had been purgrasping his hand cordially. "Who chased out of a five and ten cent store. He is not the class of man, or rather knows but that this information will boy, to wear kilts. In fact, he had no

He found the young doctor most in- visible means of support. Now, the lady who plays the part of ed with him as to the best method of Flora Campbell is not of this class. She is very buxom, and not of the Both agreed that it would be well to type to appeal as the timid, trusting,

confide the matter to a skillful detect- loving Flora. Consequently, when her father put at once for the most noted one in the her out into the cold, cold world in ive. Mr. Rodney sent to New York Scotland, the crowd laughed heartily They agreed that they would keep and seemed to think the old man had the strange story of the doctor's ex- served her right. According to Hoyle,

perience a profound secret from the they should have cried. public. If once it became publicly Then a young lady was singing known, it might put the villain on his song in the most approved manner guard. He might hustle Aline off to and with very fair ability, when a lady in the audience was overcome with a

When Mr. Rodney went home he desire to sneeze. gave Dr. Anthony a most cordial in- Knowing the time to be most inopvitation to come over to Chester and portune, the lady desisted as long as visit him. The doctor was not slow possible, and then took a chance on a to avail himself of the courtesy. It smothered sneeze. The result was was the beginning of a most pleasant it was borne all over the house by a most laughable sound, and the gallery Perhaps hazel-eyed Effie had some- laughed at it in good style.

thing to do with it. It is certain that | Last, but not least, an interruption she enjoyed the non-professional visits from the gallery caused everybody in of the Maywood physician as much as the house to roar.

was consistent with the trouble and A young gentleman in the role of anxiety she was enduring. And Dr. Posty was elucidating, when suddenly Anthony certainly found the fair, dig-someone in the gallery gave a bellow nified young lady very fascinating. He like a yearling calf. Even the pit But it would be most unfair to "The

mitting to be blindfolded again, was driven to my home by my mysterious employer. That is the end of my story, Miss Rodney. Does it throw any light and sorrow. He made little Max fond taining the singing between the sometimes wiled Effice to a momentary forgetfulness of their loss and sorrow. He made little Max fond taining that was ever written. ful, invalid mother, still prostrated by

But Saturday night the people could see nothing in it to cry about. They turned it into farce comedy.

OBSCENE CARDS NOT POPULAR HERE

London Stationers in Sympathy With Crusade Against Them.

The stationers and others dealing in picture postcards express themselves the movement to stop the sale of ob-

one gave hom a perspective of a quiet "It does not pay to handle them at looked out on a brick-paved yard and all," said one of the largest wholesale a tiny kitchen. The end one present- dealers in the city this morning. ed a more inviting prospect. It show- "Aside from their being objectionable "It looks that way," said Dr. Anthony. "At any rate, I have thought it best to come here and tell my story. You understand now why I wished to The assistance rendered the You understand now why I wished to prospective mother by a set of reliable see a picture of the missing girl. I tains, the deep shade of the trees, the of samples from the German and delicate fragrance of the flowers, all American makers of picture postcards inspired one with a sense of peace and we find a few cards which are exrest; and the master of all this wealth ceedingly objectionable. These are inof summer sweetness, as he walked variably destroyed at once. One thing among the quiet graveled paths, did we like about the English firms is have never had a picture of Aline; not inspire one with any suspicion. that in all their shipments of cards One envied him, rather, he looked so there are absolutely none that are not calm and peaceful, as though the cares fit for display in any store window. A French Naval Officer Has a and sorrows of the weary world English makers seem not to cater to touched him not, hidden as it were be- the trade of those who want obscene hind his high stone walls and grim, pictures. We do not find that there forbidding towers, with their close- is any diminution in the sale of cards, on the other hand we find it is rapidly Yes, here he still walked daily, as increasing. Of course at this season tate the little one's tender skin, they look of respectful admiration he bent on that day when willful Aline had of the year purchases are if anything may be made as simply or as elaborately as desired. To make them requires: for the dress, 2 yards of nainquires: for the dress, 2 yards of nainquires are in anything on that day when willful Aline had gone to her fate along a path as rosy and flower-strewn as ever delighted the eyes of heedless youth. His dark, there are not so many people that the eyes of heedless youth. His dark, the eyes of heedless that there are not so many people that the eyes of heedless youth. guires: for the dress, a side of the drooped, and a delicate blush rose to grave face gave no hint of the secret offset by the big rush that will take who some months ago was officially wrapper, 2½ yards of flannel or cash- her cheek, reminding him that his he held, and expressed no sympathy place during the Christmas season," reported as dead, arrived yesterday in

few objectionable cards are ever found in the mails. Any that are noticed are promptly destroyed. Many of the The New York detective studied the house and the man with a good deal PATTERN DEPARTMENT OF THE her part, was vaguely interested in laney, by any chance, to observe his of trouble in notifying the people to minister of marine correcting this Mr. Rodney was a man of quite, a one cent stamp. Postmaster Camer-

BELIEVE TRAITOR

ual of Naval Tactics.

who was arrested last month at Tou- the injured officer was beyond hope lon charged with being a suy, and who claimed in his examination before been in communication with a foreign

naval tactics, which contains the croup, and internal pain of every I think Dr. Hamilton's Pills should be Valley Railroad, Tuesday, Nov. 26.

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Select From These Fancy Linens Some Eminently Desirable Christmas Gifts for the Housewife

Linens make very sensible Christmas Gifts, and those who select presents from the lines mentioned below will find that their housewife friends will be delighted with their selections. These fancy lines were chosen with great care, and the designs, while unusually stylish and attractive are also in such good taste that they will win the approval of the most refined and particular people. We advise an early selection, while our assortment is unbroken. You'll find the values are greatly to your liking.

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A wide range of handsome patterns in linen damask, size 32x32. Polkadot, fleur de lisle and scroll designs......\$1.25

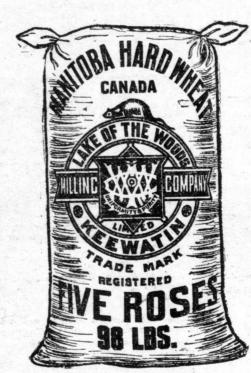
Size 36x36, floral and scroll effects. Size 36x45, polkadot, with floral border. Size 54x54, polkadot and fleur de lis patterns. All at the one price, each......\$1.25

Three new and very effective designs in hand-embroidered linen are offered at the moderate price of, each..... \$1.50

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Beauties, these, at one dollar a pair. Some are in Roman Embroidery, others daintily embroidered on muslin. About a dozen kinds in all.....\$1.00 RUNNERS to match at, each 50¢

150 Dundas GRAY & PARKER 150 Dundas and Carling



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Save your time and your strength. Do not waste them trying to make good bread and pastry with an inferior flour. You will get only trouble and disappointment for your pains.

The easy and satisfactory way to bake is to use "FIVE ROSES" Flour, as this brand never gets lumpy or hardens, and never needs any special preparation

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MONTREAL.

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REPORTED-DEAD TURNS UP SAFE

Series of Most Remarkable Adventures.

Paris, Nov. 16 .- After an extraordinary series of adventures, Cap tain Mauger, a French naval officer, Postmaster Cameron states that very Paris. The captain commanded the cruiser Chanzy, which became a total wreck off the Chinese coast in May Americans passing through do not last. On this occasion Captain Mauseem to know that a one cent stamp ger was stated to have been drowned is required to be placed on the cards while attempting to save his ship. He, window, and did not permit Mr. De- they buy in the stores, and the post- however, reached Shanghai safe and ested in the hazel-eyed Effie. She, on laney, by any chance, to observe his office authorities are placed to a lot well, and a telegram was sent to the

The day after the telegram was sent Please send the accordance of the day after the telegram was sent of quite, a one cent stamp. Fostmaster CamerThe day after the telegram was sent on estimates that there are twice as the officer was riding in an automocalling the handsome face and clear, acute perceptions. He quickly saw many picture cards going through the bile with a friend when a collision ocmails now as there were a year ago. curred with another vehicle. The occupants of the car were thrown out, and while Captain Mauger was lying injured on the roadway he was run SOLD FRENCH SECRETS over by a heavy fire engine, his skull being fractured, and several ribs being broken. He was picked up for dead, France Must Reconstruct Whole Man- and taken to the American hospital. There the receiving surgeon examined him, and, in view of his fearful injuries, declared that it was impossible Paris, Nov. 16.-The Echo de Paris for him to live through the night. says this morning that M. Thomson, Based on the doctor's statement, a the minister of marine, is satisfied second telegram was sent off to the that the confession of Ensign Ullmo, minister of marine, announcing that

CROUP IS DEADLY.

It must be stopped quickly. Nothing principal French newspapers. used by every person. My wife used Particulars 54 King Street East, Tothem regularly with grand results."

| Submarine defense scheme. The work by all dealers for nearly 50 years at 25 cents. Don't forget, Nerviline when 25 cents. Don't forget, Nerviline when 25 cents.

Said Emperor Bill to the King; "If my throat wasn't sore I would sing," Said the King to the Kaiser: "I think you'd be wiser

Can you suggest a line to complete this LIMERICK?

The Mail and Empire \$150 Cash in Prizes

The writer of the cleverest line gets \$30 in cash; 2nd, \$20; 3rd and 4th \$10, and so on down to \$2. Everybody may try, you don't have to be a subscriber. For full particulars see current issues Daily or Weekly

Mail and Empire N.B. - This competition closes November 25th.

of recovery, and that his death was but a question of a few hours. minister of marine concluded that the circuit court in Detroit yesterday Captain Mauger's death had duly against Charles L. Meyers. The case taken place. They accordingly inform- was an echo of the oil boom in the ed his relatives to this effect, and vicinity of Leamington. Meyers sold struck him off the strength of the Mr. Ladue a lot of alleged worthless pointed the doctors, and cheated death stock, and Ladue sued to recover the After having been unconscious for six weeks, he made a slow recovery. When he was convalescent he started for Europe, ignorant of the fact that his demise had been announced in the

TURNED HIS HAIR RED.

Boston, Nov. 16.-James Lyon a steamship fireman, has sued his em-From Suspension Bridge via Lehigh mobilization plans and the secret kind. Large bottles have been sold a part of his hair to turn red. He AN OIL BOOM ECHO.

Leamington, Nov. 16. - Austin Y. Some days elapsed, and as nothing Ladue obtained a verdict for \$396 in

stomach, bowels, or more delicate organs, catarrh is always debilitating and should have attention.

The discharge from the mucous membrane is because this is kept in a state of inflammation by an impure condition of the blood. Therefore, to cure, take the best blood purifier,

Hood's Sarsaparilla