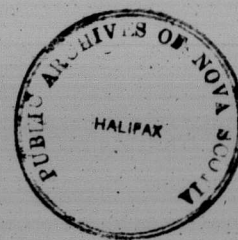


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and tender hearts find two serious  
drawbacks to the enjoyment of a  
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cult to get enough walking exercise;  
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From morning to night you are in  
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of the ship.

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ascending again immediately to the  
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## Literature.

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PERSONS OF THE STORY.  
SIR JOSEPH GRAYBROOKE—Knight.  
RICHARD TURLINGTON—Of the Levant  
Trade.  
LAUNCELOT LINZIE—Of the College of Sur-  
geons.  
JAMES DICAS—Of the Roll of Attorneys.  
THOMAS WILDFANG—Superannuated Sur-  
geon.  
MISS GRAYBROOKE—Sir Joseph's Sister.  
NATALIE—Sir Joseph's Daughter.  
LADY WINWOOD—Sir Joseph's Niece.  
AMELIA  
DOROTHEA } Lady Winwood's Step-  
daughters.  
PERIOD: The Present Time. PLACE: Eng-  
land.

**SECOND SCENE.**  
THE STORE ROOM.

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conclusion that Richard suspected  
her. When she showed herself for  
the second time, instead of venturing  
into her cabin, she called across it in  
a whisper.  
"Launce!"  
Launce appeared at his door. He  
was peremptorily checked before he  
could cross the threshold.  
"Don't stir a step! Richard has  
been down in the cabin! Richard  
suspects us!"  
"Nonsense! Come out."  
"Nothing will induce me, unless  
you can find some other place than  
the cabin."

Some other place? How easy to  
find it on land! How apparently  
impossible at sea! There was the  
fore-cabin (full of men) at one end  
of the vessel. There was the sail-  
room (full of sails) at the other.  
There was the ladies' cabin (used as  
the ladies' dressing-room; inacces-  
sible, in that capacity, to every male  
human being on board). Was there  
any disposable inclosed space to be  
found amidstships? On one side there  
were the sleeping-berths of the sail-  
ing-master and his mate (impossible  
to borrow them). On the other side  
was the steward's store-room. Launce  
considered for a moment. The stew-  
ard's store-room was just the thing!

"Where are you going?" asked Na-  
talie, as her lover made straight for  
a closed door at the lower extremity  
of the main-cabin.  
"To speak to the steward, darling.  
Wait one moment, and you will see  
me again."

Launce opened the store-room door  
and discovered, not the steward, but  
his wife, who occupied the situation  
of stewardess on board the vessel.  
The accident was, in this case, a  
lucky one. Having stolen several  
kisses at sea, and having been dis-  
covered (in every case) either by  
the steward or his wife, Launce felt  
no difficulty in prefacing his request  
to be allowed the use of the room by  
the plainest allusion to his relations  
with Natalie. He could count on the  
silence of the sympathizing authority  
in this region, of the vessel, having  
wisely secured them as accomplices  
by the usual persuasion of the pecu-  
niary sort. Of the two, however the  
stewardess, as a woman, was the  
more likely to lend a ready ear to  
Launce's entreaties in his present  
emergency. After a faint show  
of resistance, she consented, not only  
to leave the room, but to keep her  
husband out of it, on the understand-  
ing that it was not to be occupied for  
more than ten minutes. Launce  
made the signal to Natalie at one  
door, while the stewardess went out  
by the other. In a moment more the  
lovers were united in a private room.  
Is it necessary to say in what lan-  
guage the proceedings were opened?  
Surely not! There is an inarticulate  
language of the lips in use on these  
occasions in which we are all profi-  
cient, though we sometimes forget  
it in later life. Natalie seated her-  
self on a locker. The tea, sugar,  
and spices were at her back, a side  
of bacon swung over her head, and  
a netful of lemons dangled before  
her face. It might not be roomy,  
but it was snug and comfortable.

"Suppose they call for the stew-  
ard?" she suggested. ("Don't,  
Launce!")  
"Never mind. We shall be safe  
enough if they do. The steward has  
only to show himself on deck, and  
they will suspect nothing."

"Do be quiet, Launce! I have  
got dreadful news to tell you. And,  
besides, my aunt will expect to see  
me with my bride soon on again."

She had brought her needle and  
thread with her. Whipping up the  
skirt of her dress on her knee, she  
bent forward, and set herself indus-  
triously to the repair of the torn  
trimming. In this position her little  
figure showed charmingly its firm  
yet easy line. The needle, in her  
dexterous brown fingers, flew thro'  
its work. The locker was a broad  
one; Launce was able to seat him-  
self partially behind her. In this po-  
sition who could have resisted the  
temptation to lift up her great knot  
of broadly plaited black hair, and to  
let the warm, dusky tangle of her

## Richard Turlington.

"Do talk reasonably. You know  
I have done all I could. I have told  
papa that I can think of Richard as  
a friend, but not as a husband. He  
only laughs at me, and says, 'Wait  
a little, and you will alter your opin-  
ion, my dear.' You see Richard is  
everything to him; Richard has al-  
ways managed his affairs, and has  
saved him by losing by bad specu-  
lations; Richard has known me from  
the time when I was a child; Rich-  
ard has a splendid business, and  
quantities of money. Papa can't  
even imagine that I can resist Rich-  
ard. I have tried my aunt; I have  
told her he is too old for me. All  
she says is, 'Look at your father; he  
was much older than your mother,  
and what a happy marriage theirs  
was.' Even if I said in so many  
words, 'I won't marry Richard,' what  
good would it do to me? Papa is the  
best and dearest old man in the  
world; but, oh, he is so fond of money!  
He believes in nothing else—  
He would be furious—yes, kind as he  
is, he would be furious—if I even  
hinted that I was fond of you. Any  
man who proposed to marry me—if  
he couldn't match the fortune that I  
should bring him fly a fortune of his  
own—would be a lunatic in papa's  
eyes. He wouldn't think it necessary  
to answer him; he would ring the bell  
and have him shown out of the house.  
I am exaggerating nothing, Launce;  
you know I am speaking the truth.  
There is no hope in the future—that I  
can see—for either of us."

"Have you done, Natalie? I have  
something to say on my side, if you  
have."  
"What is it?"  
"If things go on as they are going  
on now, shall I tell you how it will  
end? It will end in your being Tur-  
lington's wife."

"Never!"  
"So you say now; but you don't  
know what may happen between this  
and Christmas-day. Natalie! there  
is only one way of making sure that  
you will never marry Richard. Mar-  
ry me."

"Without papa's consent?"  
"Without saying a word to any  
body till it's done."  
"Oh, Launce! Launce!"  
"My darling, every word you have  
said proves there is no other way.  
Think of it, Natalie, think of it."  
There was a pause. Natalie drop-  
ped her needle and thread, and hid  
her face in her hands. "If my poor  
mother was only alive," she said;  
"if I only had an elder sister to  
advise me, and to take my part."  
She was evidently hesitating.  
Launce took a man's advantage of her  
indecision. He pressed her without  
mercy.

"Do you love me?" he whispered  
with his lips close at her ear.  
"You know I do dearly."  
"Put it out of Richard's power to  
part us, Natalie."

"Part us? We are cousins; we  
have known each other since we were  
both children. Even if he proposed  
parting us, papa wouldn't allow it."  
"Mark my words, he will propose  
it. As for your father, Richard has  
only to lift his finger and your father  
obeys him. My love, the hap-  
piness of both our lives is at stake."  
He wound his arm round her, and  
he drew her head back on his  
bosom. "Other girls have done it,  
darling," he pleaded; "who shouldn't  
you?"

The effort to answer him was too  
much for her. She gave it up. A low  
sigh fluttered through her lips. She  
nestled closer to him, and faintly  
closed her eyes. The next instant  
she started up, trembling from head  
to foot, and looked at the sky-light.  
Richard Turlington's voice was sud-  
denly audible on deck exactly above  
them.

"Graybrooke, I want to say a word  
to you about Launcelet Linzie."  
Natalie's first impulse was to fly to  
the door. Hearing Launce's name  
on Richard's lips, she checked her-  
self. Something in Richard's tone  
roused in her the curiosity which  
suspended fear. She waited, with  
her hand in Launce's hand.

"If you remember," the brassy  
voice went, "I doubted the wisdom  
of taking him with us on this cruise.  
You didn't agree with me, and, at  
your express request I gave way.  
I did wrong. Launcelet Linzie is a  
very presuming young man."

"Sir Joseph's answer was accom-  
panied by Sir Joseph's mellow laugh."  
"My dear Richard! Surely you  
are a little hard on Launce!"  
To be Continued.

## A Mrs. Talbot, somewhere out

West, recently tried the experiment  
of placing the muzzle of a loaded  
gun to her abdomen, and pulling the  
trigger with her toe. A local, in  
speaking of it, says: "She made  
one scream when the gun went off,  
and died in two or three minutes,  
without further utterance." The  
majority of people don't care a  
"hoater" for the fate of the gun,  
but feel some desire to know if Mr.  
Talbot has worn craps on his hat  
since the event.

A CATHEDRAL.—It appears that  
Halifax is to have a Protestant  
Cathedral, shortly. Hon. Justice  
Bliss (father-in-law of Bishop Binney)  
has given an eligible site, and an-  
other member of the Episcopal  
Church, whose name does not appear,  
has promised to give a magnificent  
contribution. The Bishop and his  
sister have also contributed the sum  
of \$3,000 towards a church endow-  
ment scheme, and it is expected that  
the diocese will raise the remaining  
\$7,000 needed for its completion.

TEMPERANCE.—The "True Sun"  
says:—The Roman Catholic clergy  
with commendable earnestness are  
urging upon their adherents total  
abstinence from all intoxicating  
liquors. On New Year's Day we  
met the Rev. R. Mines where he  
had administered the pledge to 100  
individuals. The Casket says that  
through the influence of Bishop  
McKinnon and others of the clergy  
hundreds of people in Antigonish  
County have imposed upon them-  
selves the obligation of totalism.

A Mrs. Miller resident in Canton  
Mass met her death, last week, under  
singular circumstances. While en-  
gaged in a quarrel with her husband  
she broke a kerosene lamp she was  
holding, spilling the oil upon her  
clothing and setting it on fire. She  
ran out into the darkness, her hus-  
band being too intoxicated to follow  
her. The next morning she was  
found a short distance from the house  
dead from the burns she had re-  
ceived.

A "ring," composed of three Prin-  
gles, has been engaged for several  
cars back in stealing Holloway's  
pills, and selling them for their own  
benefit. They were trusted employees  
of the great pill men, and consequen-  
tly made a good thing out of it, realiz-  
ing, perhaps, \$50,000. The matter  
has been duly investigated, and the  
Pringles will be compelled to disgorge  
the pills had often been through  
the pills.

On Thursday last while the East-  
ern Extension train was on its way  
from Sackville the brakeman named  
W. H. Williams, fell from one of the  
box cars. He was not missed until  
the cars reached Annapolis, when the  
immediately returned to search for  
him. When they met him he was  
walking towards Annapolis, not having  
received the slightest injury.

At a social party, where humorous  
definitions was one of the games of  
the evening, the question was put:  
"What is religion?" "Religion,"  
replied one of the party, more famous  
as a man of business than a wit, "is  
an insurance against fire in the next  
world, for which honesty is the best  
policy."

A Massachusetts editor says: "A  
man who is owing us a little bill said  
he would call last week if he was  
alive. He still appears on the street,  
but, as he did not call, it is naturally  
supposed that he is dead, and is walk-  
ing around to save funeral expenses."

Alexander Lafford, shot and fatally  
wounded William Butler, at Grand  
Grove, Richmond County, C. B., on  
the 5th inst. Butler died 28 hours  
after. The cause for the shooting  
was that Lafford did not want Butler  
to marry his sister. Lafford was  
grieved, and the Coroner's Jury  
returned a verdict of wilful murder.

A letter writer, describing a ball,  
says the feature which made the deep-  
est impression on him was the "un-  
usual number of very plump women  
foaming over the tops of their dress-  
es."

It is cheerful to be sitting in a rail-  
road car, going at the rate of forty  
miles an hour, and have a man pass  
through the train and have a tract put  
in your lap entitled "Prepare to meet  
your God."

The bachelors of Wyoming Terri-  
tory object to women having made  
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Cloths,  
Plain & Tartan Win-  
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Tenders may be for the whole or any less-  
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day of February next.

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January next, and Tenders will be re-  
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20th day of February next.

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