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Whatever may be the opinions expressed to the contrary, it should be a self-evident fact to those in the labor movement that their candidates did very well in the elections on Friday last. In the aldermanic field in Wards 5 and 6 the old aldermen endorsed were immensely helped by having the labor vote behind them, both Ward and Woods heading the

them, both Ward and Woods heading the poll.

In Ward 4. Hacker, being a new man and comparatively unknown, was not likely to succeed, although a much larger by to succeed, although a much larger to the was expected in his favor. The labor men did not support him, nor yet any of the other candidates in the other three wards as they should have done. Callow in Ward 3, Douglass in Ward 2, and Wilson in Ward I were all laboring under like disadvantages to Hacker. In figuring out these contests, it will be necessary for labor men to recognize that to win with their candidates it is necessary that they become thoroughly according to the standard with the standard of the standard with the standard wi to win with their candidates it is necessary that they become thoroughly acquainted throughout the ward, and in order to do this it may be necessary to have the same candidates follow up for two or perhaps three years. This year the start was made exceedingly late, and the candidates were not in a position to lose all the time necessary to work the ward. On election day it was found that a great many people would not give labor. a great many people would not give labor a vote because they did not know who the candidate was.

It must also be considered that the old candidates and their friends resent the entrance in the field of labor's direct recresentatives, and devote their strength to belittle the efforts made on behalf of the workingman. To be successful it is

ork, N.Y.

The Tarrant Co., 21 Jay street, New In Ward 6, Ald. Ward, labor's nominec, polled 1,561 votes, and headed the poll, while in Ward 5 Ald. Woods, who was last year fourth man, polled 2,039 was last year fourth man, polled 2,039 votes and headed the poll.

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STRAY THOUGHTS

There must be something wrong in our political economy, when an honest, hardworking man has to plead for the privilege to work. If a man commits a crime we find him food, clothing and shelter, but the bare suggestion that we should give a man an opportunity to work is

THE POOR AND

Rev. H. E. Cooley, of Cleveland, in the Grand Opera on

them to stand in our—that is, in civilization is—was? But little Colombia asks earner. One girl, who had been received in \$54.53, and her expenditure amounting \$1,55.53, another pow woman working \$1,55.53, another pow woman working another instance of a young woman receiving \$2 per week, keeping a sick mother and sending a young sites to school, and all this in face of the fact that the power of products has through the advent of machinery and investion increased fifty-fold within a a hundred years, but the cause is through the power of brained by a few in tying up the workshop and the repression of product into there is more than eaough for all to be housed, clothed and fed well. Charrity, as if is at the present since, is not right. Justice for all is the southon of the present sorial wrong. For remember, you cannot have extreme westlat unless you have extreme westlat unless you have extreme westlat unless you have extreme poverty, if you have masters you must have slaves, and the greatest slaves are those thought is but of self.

THE PRESIDENT'S PANAMA

Cincinnati, Jan. 3, 1904.—The President's Pausma policy was discussed at the Vine Street Congregational Church this evening by the pastor, Herbert S Bigelow. Mr. Bigelow used as a text two lines from Goethe's "Faust".

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"It happens as it happed of old:
Still Naboth's vineyard we behold!"

"These," said Mr. Bigelow, "are the words of Menhistopheles.

"Faust had turned reformer. He had conceived the project of benefiting mankind by building dykes and canals and thus making habitable vast regions hitherto overrun by the see. In this worthy enterprise he was balked by an aged couple who refused to sell their homestead, a location which Faust needed in his scheme of improvement.

"This ancient pair looked with distrust upon Faust's innovations. They did not wish to give themselves the pain of new thoughts and new ways. Faust became very impatient, and confessed to Mephistopheles that one grows tired, at last, of being just."

"This was the Devil's opportunity. He suggested a resort to force. Faust replied: Then go, and clean them out with speed!"

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TORONTO, JANUARY 8th, 1904.

Peel and Walker the choices of an elec on a school board ballot together!

Much confusion would have been avoided had the Legislature given us the cumulative vote all round.

Whether labor wins or loses, it must still be reckoned with. If it cannot elect its friends, it can defeat its enemies.

eight per cent. of the electors?

5. Will you, if elected, use the power of your office to carry out the will of the majority as expressed by any Referendum votes that may be taken?

Whiskey is still on top in Toronto, otwithstanding its defeat in the Junc-ion. Gooderham and Walker headed the school board list.

Our compliments to the Telegram, and the editor wishes to know what the Tele-gram knows about his work on the Tech-nical School Board.

The Toronto Socialist League has done a big thing. It has clearly and positively demonstrated that this great city of Toronto contains One Humared and Twenty-sever. Voters who will Vote the Straight Secialist Ticket.

In order to get a soild vote of real Simon Pure Socialists, and demonstrate the great strength of the socialist movement, and its independence of mere labor unions, the Socialist League ran a ticket of four candidates of its own.

The success of this plan in getting a Considerable ballast will be required for the Board of Control ship this year with such hot air throwers as Spence, Hubbard and Richardson on board.

The cumulative vote does not satisfy the machine. If the Liberals were in the majority in Toronto, they would never have inaugurated mulative

the Street Railway Company and advo-cating the election of enother who was forced to leave the city in order to allow the boodling storm to blow over? Is this another gold brick game or a gold watch episode?

to stir up the voters merely because a labor ticket was running.

Then there was not enough organization, and the beginning was too late.

Taken altogether, there is no reason for discouragement, but rather for hope. We have lost the first battle of what will be a campaign of years. Let us try hard to win the second. There will be fewer candidates and a much better chance.

DIRECT LEGISLATION.

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Last, but not least, we got there with both feet in our eampaign for the initiative and referendum. The committee of the Toronto-Federation for Majority Rule has been working quietly, but so effectively that twenty out of the total control the Toronto Federation for Majority
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twenty-three members of the City Council have declared themselves in writing in
favor of the principle, most of them by
answering the Federation's questions,
which we print here to show just what
has been asked for.

There is now no doubt that by-laws
providing for a measure of the initiative
and referendum will be included in the it is not fair to the worker to ask him to forsake these unless we provide something equally as good in return. We do not suggest this in an antagonistic spirit to our old friends and advisers, but we do hold that it is just as necessary for the employee to take his seat at the Council table as the employer.

Let us take action at once and not let this grand opportunity go by; if we organize now the work we have already done will not require to be gone over again.

providing for a measure of the initiative and referendum will be included in the repised by-laws of the city, which a committee of the Council is working at.

Here are the questions put by the Federation to the candidates:

1. Do you believe that the will of the majority, should prevail in this city; If the chairman of the workers for each ward would call a meeting we are confident that six good Labor Leagues would be the result, and that one year's hard work would result in six good laanajority should prevail in this city;
''majority' meaning a majority of those entitled to vote and who do vote?

2. To give effect to the will of the majority, are you in favor of the People's Vete by Optional Referendum and of the Direct Initiative by Petition or Collective Request as availabled below? bor men being returned to the Council table next year.

SOME THINGS TO PONDER

There is nothing passes our notice so nick and so deceiving as time. Christmas is passed, and the new year S. Concerning the People's Veto, will you, if elected, use the power of your office to support the Optional Referendum in the City Council in regard to the subject specified below?

There is nothing passes our notice so quick and so deceiving as time.

Christmas is passed, and the new year has come in upon us again, and we might almost say we have hardly noticed the time passing.

subject specified below?

4. As regarding the Direct Initiative, will you, if elected, use the power of your office to submit for the decision of the voters any measure that is asked for by eight per cent. of the electors?

5. Will you, if elected, use the power of your again, and with the strength that labor has put forth in the past year we can rest fully assured will be redoubled next year.

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(a) A right to think, (b) A right to speak,
(c) A right to know what is being done in the City Council.

The press has stated that the Conser will the press kindly let us know what

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Which is the better representative for the workingman, the one who can be depended upon to protect your interests without watching, or the one which requires a deputation to see that he does what is in your interests?

Another question for the Telegram: How, by its pracess of reasoning, can it satisfy its conscience in reacting the ticket, and left poor Peel out in the cold with the poet Sabine; the street Railway Company and advocating the election of enother who was forced to leave the city in order to allow the boodling storm to blow over? Is feated our good friend John Tweed, a man who has shown his ability and capactage in order to allow the boodling storm to blow over? Is feated our good friend John Tweed, a man who has shown his ability and capactage in order to allow this another gold brick game or a gold

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Notwithstanding the disastrous results which attended its former effort to crush out unionism in San Frances on the Citizens' Alliance is again boasting that it has 9,000 rembers, and is ready for an other battle.

Between 500 and 700 men are now idle in Spokane because of a strike to raise

will refuse to recognize the Plumbers' Union and declare a lockout.

At their last meeting, the Painters and Decorators elected and installed the following officers: President, Wm. Mitch-ll; vice-president, Wm. Martin; recording secretary J. W. Harmon; financial secretary, W. Ayara; treasurer, Charles March; conductor, J. Stewart; warden, Chas. Adams; press correspondent, J. W. Harmon.

The Musical Protective Association, at the last session of the Trades Council of that city that no more wage increases be endorsed for one year, but the motion was defeated.

A very large proportion of unions are held together by a minority of active and intelligent members who do the work and shoulder the responsibility that onoth to be shared by all the members. I have

The Musical Protective Association, at their last Sunday's meeting, elected the following officers: President, John Waldron; first vice-president, T. B. Jones; second vice-president, T. B. Jones; second vice-president, Robert Wilson; treaturer, J. G. fimpson; recording secretary, J. A. Wiggins; assistant recording secretary, J. A. Darch; representatives to board of directors, John Slatter, John Gowan.

William Pitt, a Brisbane restaurant keeper, was recently fined £1 and £2 liskeeper, was recently fined f

The Flint, Mich., Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, which sought to compel the grand master of the Masonie lodge to join the union before he could lay the corner-stone of the new temple, is criticized by the editor of its official journal in no uncertain sound. In part he says in Such insistence in any case is nothing less than downright foolishness, and is calculated to make those responsible for it a laughing stock in the eyes of the public. What advantage is to be gained by conferring membership—and insistence who works at the trade for hardly more than five minutes is not apparent."

The Flint, Mich., Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, which sought to since there are so many emboyers' associations being formed over the country.' Charlotte Teller, in the Machinists' Journal, asks the world: "Do von know that nearly one-half of all the ready-time and clothing of the United States is made in New York City; that there are 4,024 factories, employing 110,470 persons capitalized at \$80.633,853? And here are some more facts you ought to know about the cadditions of the people who clothe you; there are 40,000 sweets shops in New York, and so many consumptives in the garment trade that consumptives in the garment trade that consumption is called the 'tailors' disease.''



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The Photographers' Union of San Francisco is said to be the first organization of its kind in the United States.

mars meeting of unemploved in Toron-to?'! The question is easily answered, when it is understood that the sreakers at the meeting, Messrs. Ho'mes and Ken-nedy, are lat or leaders, while Mr Thomn-sen is an out-and-out Socialist, and not in the same class. Neve the last, it shows, in spite of the contradiction of the Cona-dian manufacturers, the Terosto Em-ployers' Association and kindred bidies, that Mr. Thompson's statemen's to the British cress were never the truth than were theirs in contradiction.

Sheriff W. J. O'Brien; in his recens soiourn in Massachusetts, when the Syra Perks affeir was mentioned to him, said: "It my official capacity as sheriff of the great city of New York, throughout my full term of two years, I have been required to take but one or two lafor ment to prison for 'grafting,' whereas something like thirty-five lawyers have been taken over for the rame purpose, as well as half that many preachers, yet we have heard nothing of stopping the profession of law, although quite a hunch of that profession went to pay penalties for crookedness; nor have we seen one word in the papers that preaching shall cease because quite a number o' that eraft found their way to a certain state institution, and why we have heard nothing of stopping the profession of law, although quite a hunch of that profession went to pay penalties for crookedness; nor have we seen one word in the papers that preaching shall cease because quite a number o' that eraft found their way to a certain state institution, and why we have been to have business officials because one or two bare gone wrong is a mystery that needs further explanation."

In Poston the Western Union Tele.

In Boston the Western Union Tele-In Poston the Western Union Telegraph Company researger bors want out on strike, and the camony research to the use of young gir's for the delivery of messages. This action was severely conderned by some of Poston's halles, while upheld by 'employers as perfectly proper. In Kansas City the same thing occurred with the same comp ny. O e or the little girls was are ted for theft and tried in the juvenile court before Judgo Teasdale, who delivered himself of the following: "It is an outrage that girls should be used for such work, and I hope some way will be found to put a step to it. These girls are required to go into all sorts of places and to meet all sorts of men. They see things which no girl ought to nee; they come in contact with a side of life that ought to be hidden from the eyes of good girls; they have temptations that no girl ought to be submitted to in this civilized community. It would not be strange if many of them would be led astray."

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counts will be glad to see you" he co

guest in ill humor, as he strode from

the tavern without more ado.

He was soon on his way, partly for

destination, which be reached late that

down upon the master so indifferently, while the dog glared so viciously that

the land baron cried angrily:
"Why the devil don't you get out of
the way and call off that beast?"

The man pondered. "No one but the helr would give orders like that." he

said, so accustomed to speaking his thoughts in the solitude of the great

rooms that he gave way to the habit

Slowly the caretaker moved aside, the hound shifting his position accord-

ingly, and Mauville entered, gazing around with some interest, for the in-

terior of the manor realized the preten-

sions of its outward aspect. The floor of the hall was of satinwood and rose-

wood, and the mahogany wainscoting, extending almost to the ceiling, was black with age. With its rich carvings

the stefrway suggested wood, flotting in balustrades lifting up to the sup-

port of the heavy beams in the ceiling.

The furnishings were in keeping, but dust obscured the mirrorlike surface

of the malogany tables, the heavy dra-peries were in need of renovation, while a housewife would have viewed

with despair the condition of brass and

tries and pictures, well nigh defaced,

but worthy, even in their faded aspect, of the brush of Sir Godfrey Kneller,

ajamin West and the elder Peale. Having casually surveyed his new some, the heir was reminded of the

need for refreshment after his long journey and, turning to the caretaker, asked him what there was in the house. The servant smoked silently as though deeply considering this momen-

tous question, while the rear guard maintained unabated hostility between the man's firmly planted feet. Then

abruptly, without removing his pipe, the guardian of the manor ejaculated:

be shown to the library, where he would have these outlandish dishes

"Shortcakes and oly-koeks." The other laughed, struck his knee with his light cane and demanded to

"This must be the heir."

"Then I shall sleep on down. I haven't had a chance"—with a sigh—"to damage my conscience lately. But when I strike civilization again"-and Susan shook her head eloquently to conclude her sontence. "Oh. yes; if beds depend on conscience, boughs would be feathers for me tonight," with which half laughing, half defiant nclusion Susan tripped to the charot, pausing a moment, however, to cast a reproachful glance over her shoulder at Saint-Prosper before vanishing in the cavernous depths of the vehicle of

Her departure was the signal for the dispersing of the party to their respective couches. Now the fire sank wer, the stars came out brighter, and ally up the beavens, taking a brief but comprehensive survey of the habita-tions of mortals, and then, as if satisfied with her scrutiny, sailed back to the horizon and dropped out of sight.

CHAPTER VIII. HORTLY after the departure of

the strolling players from the tavern Mauville summoned his servant and ordered his equito and fro in the dining room. dismantled of the stage, by very ontrast to the temporary temple art turned his thoughts to the players. The barrenness of the room smote him acutely with the memory of those peranness, and he laughed ironically to himself that he should thus revert to them. But as he scoffed inwardly, his eyes gleamed with viracity, and the sensations with which he had viewed the young girl night after night were What was one woman ost to him? bis egotism whispered. He and parted from many as a gormand leaves one meat for another. Yes; but she had not been his, insipuated van-ity; another had whipped her off before

"Why the devil didn't you tell me be as going with turm." be demanded the landlord while settling his ac-

"He-who?" asked the surprised inn-"That adventurer you have been har-boring here. How far's he going with them?"

I don't know. The night after the performance I heard the manager ask rance play."

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emperance play." sneered Mau-"Temperance play!" sneered Mau-ville. "The fool's gone with them on account of a woman."
"I did think he was mighty attentive be one of the actress's," said the land-lord reflectively. "The one with them melting eyes. Purty good looking! Quiet and ladylike, too! So be's gallivanting

her? Well, well, I guess actresses be all alike!

"I guess they are," added the heir savagely. "And this one took me in." he thought to himself. "Holding me off and playing with him the jade." Then he continued aloud, "Where are they

going?"
"Didn't hear 'em say," answered the other, "and I didn't like to appear too You didn't?" returned Mauville iron-

leally. "You must have changed lately."
"I don't know as I understand you
quite." teplied the laudlord with sudand display. "But here's your carriage and your things are all on. I guess von-

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oly-koeks are not bad. I suppose this man, Ten Breecheses, or whatever he is called, is at once cook and house-keeper. Although I don't think much of his bousekeeping," ruminated Mauville as he observed a herculean spider weaving a web from an old volume of Giraldus Cambrensis, antiquary, to the classical works of one Joseph of Exeter. There is a strong sympathy between wine and cobwebs, and Mau-ville watched with increasing interest the uses to which these ponderous tomes had sunk-but serving the blood-thirsty purpose of the nimble architect evolving its delicate engineering

A great blundering fly had just bobbed into the net, and the spider, with hideous, carnivorous zest, was scramnued, not resisting a parting shot.
"Curse the tenants." muttered the bling for it when the guardian of the manor returned with the family solicit-or, a little man who bore in his arms a bundle of papers, which after the cus-tomary greetings he spread upon the table. He helped himself to a glass of getting his vexation in new anticipa-tions, and traveling with spirit to his burgundy and proceeded forthwith to enter into the history of his trust.

Mynheer the patroon, Mauville's pred-cessor, a lonely, arrogant man, had the ponderous knocker, shuffling foot steps were finally heard within, the door was opened a few inches and held tenaciously to the immense tracts of land acquired in the colonial days by nominal purchase. He had never married, his desire for an heir being the gleaming teeth of a great, gaunt dog were thrust into the opening, fol-lowed by an ominous growling. Maudiscounted by his aversion for the other sex, until as the days dragged on he found himself bedridden and childville sprang back a step; the snarling resolved itself into a yelp as some one unceremoniously dragged the canine back; the door was opened wider and a brawny figure, smoking a long stemmed less in his old age. Unfortunately the miser cannot take his acres into paradise, and the patroon, with many an inward groan, cast about him for some remote relative to whom he would pipe, barred the way. The dog. but-partly appeased, peered from behind the man's sturdy legs, awaiting hostilireluctantly transfer his earthly here-ditaments. These were two-one a man tles. The latter, an imperturbable Dutchman, eyed the intruder askance. of piety, who prayed with the tenants when they complained of their lot; the other, Mauville, upon whom he had smoking as impassively in his face as one of his ancestors before William the Testy. From his point of vantage on the threshold the caretaker looked never set eyes.

When the earliest patroons had made known to the West India company their intention of planting co.onies in New Netherland they had issued attractive maps to promote their ccloui-zation projects. Among those who had been lured to America by these enticing advertisements was an ancestor of Edward Mauville. Incurring the pleasure of the governor for his god-less views, this Frenchman was sent to the pillory, or whipping post, and his neighbors were about to cast out the devil of irreverence in good old fashioned manner when one of the governor's daughters interceded, estied off the handsome miscreaz?, and, such was her imperious way, married him. He was heard in after years to aver that the whipping would have been bargain," muttered the beir as he casu-the milder punishment; but, be that ally surveyed the ancient deed and as it may, a child was born unto venturesome and graceless character. deserted his home, joined hands with some ocean rovers and sailed for that pasture ground of buccaneers, the Carlbbean sea. Of his subsequent history various stories may be found in the chronicles of New Orleans and Louisi-

have any pretensions to the estate was a reverend gentleman who had been a missionary among the Indians, preach ing from a stump, and called Little Thunder by the red men because of his powerful voice, a lineal descendant of the Rev. Dr. Johannes Vanderklonk, the first dominie of the patroons, who served for 1,000 guilders, payable in meat or drink, twenty-two bushels of wheat and two firkins of butter. He saved the souls of the savages, while the white men cheated their bodies. Now and then, in those early days, the children of the forest protested against this evangelizing process and carried off the good dominie to the torture stake, where they plucked out his finger nails, but he returned with as much zest to his task of landing these simple souls in paradise as those who employ-ed him displayed in making an earthly

"And bring with them, Mynheer Olykocks, a bottle of wine," be continued.
"At the same time chain up the dog.
"At the same with such hungry hostility that, gad, I believe he's an antirentthat been dropped from the modern swallower believe it.

"At the same time chain up the dog.

When by this shrewd system the savon the desert air." said the patroon on the desert air." said the patroon grimly to that disappointed worthy. Few Indians, Greasers an' dudes; but I "What's the use of tenants who don't never believe it. Mauville was ushered into a large room where great leather bound volumes filled the oak shelves to the celling. The caretaker turned and the celling that the caretaker turned and the celling that the celling th ing. The caretaker turned and with echoing footsteps slowly departed, followed by his faithful four footed relainer. It is true the latter paused, swung half around and regarded the laim to look up the life, deeds and characteristics.

landowper with the look of a suiky and rebellious tenant, but, summoned by a stern "Oloffe!" from his master, the here it is," waving a roll of "This I did," said the lawyer, "and here it is," waving a roll of papers be-

dog reluctantly pattered across the hardwood floor.

In surveying his surroundings the land baron's attention was attracted by a coat of arms deeply carved in the massive wood of the bookcase—on a pupil of the brilliant Jesuit, Abbe massive wood of the bookcase—on a saltire sable, a Beur-de-lis or. This head of heraldic flowers appeared to interest Mauville, who smiled grimly. "From what I know of my worthy an-cestors," he muitered, "and their pro-Moneau. Item: Morals; Exhibit A, the affair with Countess — in Paris, where he was sent to be educated after

pensities to orev on their cellow men,
a storage say a more fitting devicewould be that of Lovett of Astwell;

Gules, three wolves passant sable, in "Of course, sir, I was only trying to earry out his instructions, the same, sir, as I would carry out yours!" with an ingratiating smile. Whereupon the attoriev told how he had furnished the patroon this roll and fastened it to his bed so that he might wind and unwind it, perusing it at his pleasure. This the dying man did, sternly noting the damaging facts, thinking doubtlessible how traits will endure for genera-Pleased with his own humor, he threw himself upon a couch near the window, stretching himself luxuriously. Soon the man reappeared with the refreshments and a bottle of old fash-loned, substantial girth, which he un-"Where are the oly-koeks?" exthe damaging facts, thinking doubtlessly how traits will endure for generations—aye, for agos, in spite of the plilory! The while Little Thunder was
roaring petitions to divinity by his bedside, as though to bluster and bully the
Almighty into granting his supplications. The patron glanged from his The watchman pointed to a great dish of dark blue willow ware pattern. "Oh, doughnuts!" said Mauville. "You know where the family lawyer lives? Have my man drive you to his house and bring him here at once."

As the caretaker again disappeared the heir bent over the curiously shaped a coin still somewhat in use in Amer-ica. This be flipped thrice.

"Blessings on the ancestor who laid down this wine" he muttered "Mar "Ro his ghost wander in to sulff it! There time. "Roue or sham?" he said the first

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the second time.
"Devil or pharisee?" he cried the

third time. He peered over the coin and sent for his attorney. His soul passed away, mourned by Little Thunder until the will was read, when his lamentations ceased. He soundly berated mynheer the patroon in his coffin and refused to go to his burying. Then he became an ardent antirenter, a leader of "bolters," a thunderer of the people's cause, the devoted enemy of land barons in general and one patroon in particular, the

foreign beir to the manor. "But let him thunder away, sir." said Scroggs soothingly. "The estate's yours now, for the eld natroon can't come back to change his mind. He's buried sure enough in the grove, a dark and sombrous spot as befitted his disposi-tion, but restful withal. Are, and the marble slab's above him, which reminds me that only a month before he took to his bed he was smoking his pipe on the porch when his glance fell upon the lifting stone. Suddenly he strode toward it, bent his back and raised it a full two inches. 'So much for age!' said he, scoffing-like. But age heard him and now he lies with a stone on him he cannot lift, while you, sir," to his listener deferentially, "are sole helf

"A feud goes with the property?" remarked Mauville carelessly.

to the estate and to the fend."

"Evade their debts, do they?" said springtime dream." the land baron languidly. "What pre-sumption to imitate their betters! That Scroggs.

"She is not in the scroll you prethe land baron languidly. "What prewon't do. I need the money."
"They claim the rights of the land

lord originated in fraud"-"No doubt"—yawning—"my ancestors were rogues!"

"Oh, sir," deprecatorily. out," interrupted Mauville listlessly, "if you have to depopulate the coun-

Having come to an understanding with his client, the lawyer arose to take his departure.

"By the way," he said obsequiously, selecting a yellow, well worn bit of paper from his bundle of documents. self. It is the original deed for all these lands from the squaw Pewasch. You was see they were acquired for a few shillings' worth of 'wet and dry goods' and seventeen and a half ells of duf

"The old patroons could strike a rare then, folding it, placed it in his breast

"A vast principality," added the so-licitor, waving his hand toward the fields and meadows far in the distance.

CHAPTER IX.

AVING started the wheels of justice fairly moving, with Scroggs at the throttle, the new land baron soon discovered that he was not in consonance with the great commoner who said he was savage enough to prefer the woods and wilds of Monticello to all the pleasures of Paris. In other words, those rural delights of his forefathers, the pleasures of a closer intimacy with nature, awoke no responsive chord in Mauville's breast, and he began to tire be-fore long of a patriarchal existence and crullers and oly-koeks and playing

the fine lord in solitary grandeur.

To further add to the land baron's dissatisfaction over his heritage, "rent day," that all important day in the olden times when my lord's door had been besieged by the willing leasebeen besieged by the willing lease holders, cheerful in rendering unto. The pen may be mightier than the Cæsar what was due Cæsar, seemed to sword, but you can't make the sword have been dropped from the modern swallower believe it

"What's the use of tenants who don't never killed a human pay? Playing at feudal lord in modern Fond Mother—What does Henry say in

the forest that crept over it like an in-coming tide the land baron ordered corporations on the lights for every room. The manor shone in isolated grandeur amid the gloomy fields, with the forest wall gloomy fields, with the forest wall around it; radiant as of old, when strains of music had been heard within and many figures passed the windows.

Strains of music had been heard within and many figures passed the windows. road regarded with surprise the unual illumination.
"What does it mean?" asked Little

Thunder, for it was he, waiting and watching as without the gates of para

where he was sent to be educated after the fashion of French families in New Orleans; Exhibit B"—

"Spare me," exclaimed Mauville, "Life is wearisome enough, but a blography"— He shrugged his shoulders. "Come to your point."

"Of course, sir, I was only trying to grary out his instructions the second of the space of beer the patroon had been a veritable bat for darkness; a few candles an-swered bis purpose in the spacious

side, as though to bluster and builty the Almighty into granting his supplications. The patroon glanced from his pensioner to the roil, from the kneeling man to the prodigious list of peccadillos, and then he called for a shilling.

The patroon glanced from his pensioner to the roil, from the kneeling baron and Seroggs, a surveyor's map between them and a dozen bottles around them. Before Mauville stood around them. several glasses containing wines of various vintages, which the land baron compared and sipped, held to the light and inhaled, after the manner of a

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"Rake or hypocrite?" he exclaimed connoisseur sampling a cellar. He was induly dignified and stately, but the

attorney appeared decidedly groggy. "Lord! How you go on!" exclaim Scrogs. "What with sampling this and sampling that, my head's going round like a top. If there's anything in the cellar the old patroons put down we haven't tried, sir, I beg to defer the sampling. I am of the sage's mind-'Of all men who take wine, the moderate only enjoy it,' says Master Bacon

"Pass the bottle!" answered the oth-"Gently, man! Don't disturb its repose, and remember it discalns the perpendicular." So will I soon," muttered Scroggs.

"I hope you'll excuse me, sir, but that last drop of Veuve Cliquot was the whipcord that started the top going, and, on my word," raising his hands to his hend, "I feel like holding it on to keep it from spinning off." "Spinning or not, you shall try this

vintage"—the young man's eyes gleam-ed with such fire as shone in the glass —"and drink to Constance Carew!" other, desperately swallowing the

"A balsamic taste, slightly piquant, but agreeable," he observed. "A danger-ous wine, Scroggs! It carries no warning. Your older kind is like a world "The tenants object to paying rent," place you on the defensive. This maid-replied Scroggs sadly. "They're a sorry on vintage, just springing into glorious en vintage, just springing into glorious womanhood, comes over you like a

'Who - who is she?' muttered

pared for my lamented kinsman, eh? No title, man; not even a society lady. A stroller, which is next door to a vagrant."

"Well, sir, she's a woman, and that's "It the tenants don't pay, turn them enough," replied the lawyer. "And ut," interrupted Mauville listlessly, my opinion is it's better to have nothing to do with 'em."

With this sententious remark Scroggs gave a sudden lurch forward and quietly and naturally slid under the table

window, which he lifted, and the night air entered, fanning his hot brow. The leaves on high rustled like falling rain. The elms tossed their branches, striking one another in blind As he stood there the stars grew

pale. The sky trembled and quivered before the advent of morn. A heavy footstep fell behind him, and, tur he beheld the carctaker. "Not in bed yet. Oly-kocks?" cheer-fully said the land baron. "I am just up.

koeks: no life, no variety. Nothing going on!" The servant glanced at the formida-

ble array of bottles. "And he calle this a quiet life!" thought the care taker, losing his impassiveness and blewing the table with round eyed

'Nothing going on?" he said aloud. "Mynheer the patreon complained of too much life here, with people taking farms all around. But, if you are duly, a farmer told me last night there was company of stroiling players in Vanderdonkville"-

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