

A "LOVELY" PARAGRAPH

With a heart as pure as dewdrops trembling in violets, she will make the home of her husband a paradise of enchantment like the lovely home of her girlhood, where the heavy toned harp of marriage with its love stroking chords of devotion and fond endearments sent forth the sweetest strains that ever thrilled the senses with the rhythmic pulsings of ecstatic rapture.

WHEN THE MUSIC CEASED

It is reported that a certain musician, disgusted with the chattering that usually takes the place of listening during a musical performance, arranged with his violin, his violoncello, and the rest that the music should suddenly stop in the midst of the loudest passage in the piece.

It was done, and, clear and distinct above all the loud talkers' voices, these words were heard: "We always fry ours in lard!"

CAUSE FOR COMPLAINT

A bookseller in New York purchased a lot of books at a sale. Finding several sets of Charles Dicken's works in this stock, he decided to make a special price on them, so he put all of them in the large show window with the following sign in very big letters:

"Charles Dicken's Works all week for Four Dollars."

An Italian who had drifted down that way walked up to this window. Reading the sign he, said:

"Dese countree allee wrong. Americana he work ze week, ze zix; one, two, three, fo, five, zix—zix days fo' four dol'!"