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WOULD RESPECT HIS WISHES.

OLD GENTLEMAN (from head of the stairs at a late hour.)—Clara, I think you and that young man have talked enough for one evening.

CLARA—All right, pa. We won't say another word.—*Lippincott's*.

THE MODERN BATHING SUIT.

BROTHER TOM—There you are, Mab. Everything is packed, and now for a brilliant opening in the play of seaside engagements.

MAB—Yes, but that horrid man hasn't sent me my bathing suit.

B. T.—I guess its coming now.

M.—Do you think so?

B. T.—Yes; there's a messenger boy coming up the avenue with an envelope.—*Boston Courier*.

MUGGINS—What do you think of German cooking?

SLUGGINS—Detestible! Their salads are bad; their cheeses are worse.

MUGGINS—And their sausage is *wurst*.—*America*.

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