

THE ODD TRICK.

"Lucile!" "Oh? I beg your pardon, Gilbert. Did you speak to me?" "Speak to you? I asked you three times to give me another cup of coffee."

ably endowed with this world's goods there would have been small chance for Gilbert; but, as things were, "marriage was a luxury they could not afford."

you would trust me! Won't you seal up the letters and let me take them away?" "I have already told you that I will give them to no one but to Mr. Endicott."

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